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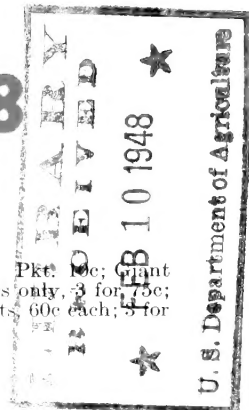
1948

## Delphiniums

694. Giant Pacific Hybrids Mixed. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c. 1-yr. plants, mixed colors only, 3 for 75c; 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.75. 2-yr. plants, 60c each; 5 for \$1.50; 12 for \$5.00. See p. 7.

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1495. Super Giant Swiss, Mixed. Largest of all Pansies, in a complete color range. Blooms from early spring until frost. 50 seeds 10c; 200 seeds 25c. Plants, 25 for \$1.25; 100 for \$3.75. See p. 5.



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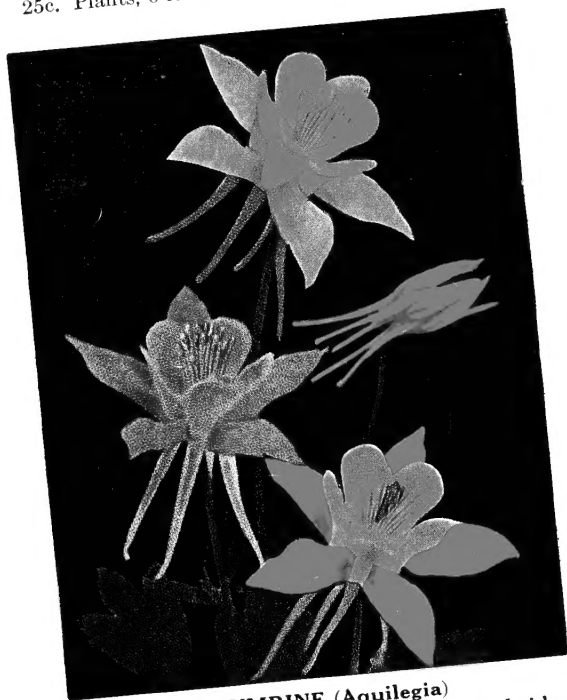
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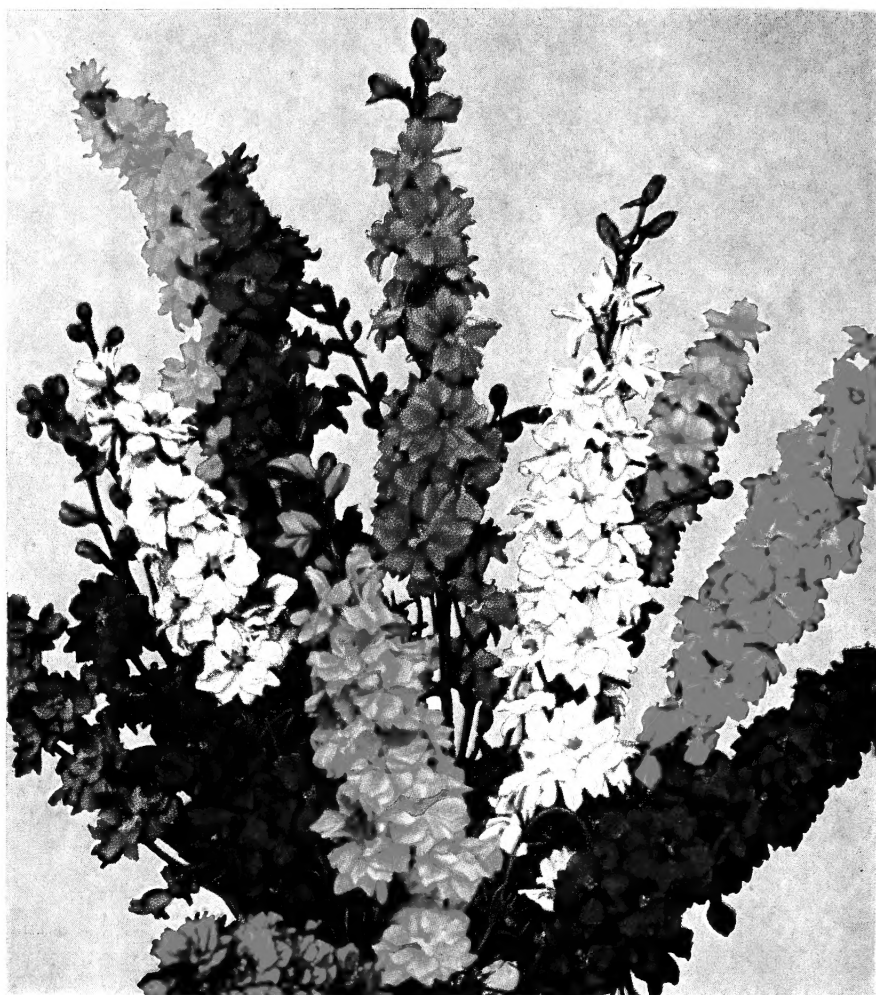
#### COLUMBINE (Aquilegia)

167. **Mrs. Scott Elliott's Long-spurred Hybrids.** Blooms in early summer. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c. 1-yr. plants, 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75.



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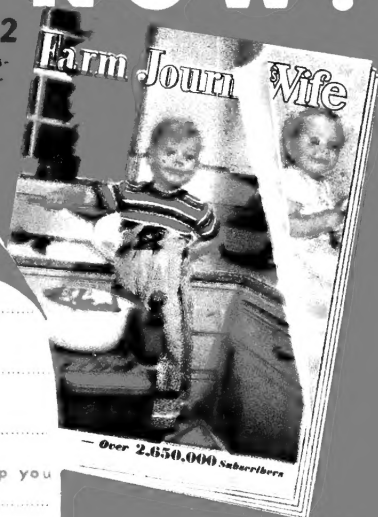
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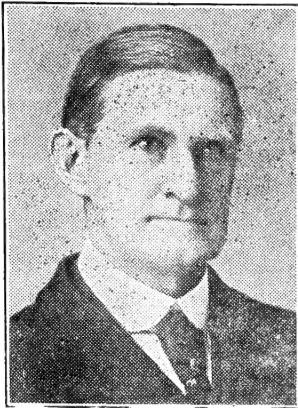
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## 1868

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A quest of river-grapes, a  
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A wild rose or rock-loving  
columbine,  
Salve my worst wounds.

—Emerson.



Yes, Sister, I buy only of Park; his seeds  
always grow and yield the finest flowers.

### GOD'S LOVE, AND BEAUTY

"My Father in Heaven, help me never to forget Thy Love to me. It comes with the light of the morning, and it remains with the light of the stars of the night. It looks up at me in the beauty of the flower. It shines upon me in the smile of a friend. All beautiful things are the gifts of Thy love. Help me to be thankful, and to link every beautiful thing with Thee.—Amen."

JOHN HENRY JOWETT

My friends are these your sentiments?  
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### DEAR PATRON FRIENDS

Truly, there is magic in the garden. Not only the magic of life itself which we see unfolding before our eyes in the springing of a beautiful flower from a tiny brown seed, but the magical transformation produced in ourselves as we work the soil and observe the wonders of nature in action. Who has not seen a small boy, perhaps your own son, always in mischief; with tactful encouragement become so interested observing and actually growing a plant, that all mischief is forgotten. The same applies to those of us who are older. We are often prone to feel that the worries of the entire world rest on our own shoulders. We forget that God is furnishing our needs, and the needs of the world of humans, just as He is for the flowers and the birds.

Where better to forget the noise and hurry of the day's work, the latest news of troubles throughout the world; where better to think and see things clearly, than in the quiet and beauty of nature as we work our gardens or just relax in our out-door living rooms? Flowers speak to us of love, beauty, harmony and joy, for these are the language of flowers. Flowers are God's expression of his love for us.

THE VEGETABLE GARDEN should not be underestimated or omitted in this time of inflation when food prices are high, when many food items are scarce, when we are sending food abroad. We can help ourselves by growing our own vegetable needs, thereby saving money, helping to combat inflation because we buy less, which in turn allows more food to be sent to other less fortunate countries—and best of all, the Vegetables we grow are fresher, tastier, and more nutritious than the products shipped into market. For a real saving, grow enough to can for next winter too.

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During the course of the past 80 years, this business, founded in 1868 by Geo. W. Park, has served members of many families during each of three generations. The Geo. W. Park Seed Company has grown along with our great United States, so that now with 80 years of experience to draw on, and an organization built up over a long period of time, we are prepared to offer you the finest seeds and bulbs grown in the world today, and the best of service.

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I wish you all success and pleasure in your gardening work.

Floricordially yours,

GEO. B. PARK, President

January 1, 1948

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#### AS A REGULAR PARK SERVICE

WE TREAT ALL VARIETIES OF 82 Species of FLOWER SEEDS (This includes the greater part of those we offer) and ALL VARIETIES OF VEGETABLE SEEDS with the most effective of Seed Treatments as recommended by Experiment Stations. Better germination, stronger plants, higher yields will thus be yours with Park's Treated Seeds.

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## 1948

### 31 Times— The Winner

6301 W. Girard Ave.  
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Oct. 6, 1947

Dear Mrs. Park:

This is to let you know that the seed I purchased from you helped me win: 3 First Prizes; 15 Second Prizes; 13 Third Prizes at the Wisconsin State Fair this year. My success every year with your seed should encourage more people to use your fine seed.

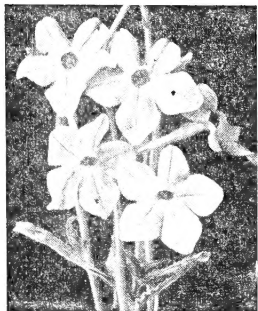
Yours truly,

Mr. Walter Knuth, Pres.  
Horticultural Society

NOTE: Congratulations Mr. Knuth. Your outstanding success in growing prize winning entries for the Fair was due not only to the fact that you began with the best of seeds, but in a large degree to your care in starting the seeds and growing the plants skillfully and well until they reached maturity. Park.

# Park's New Flowers and Specialties

From All Over The World



1433—DAYLIGHT NICOTIANA.

Remains open all day.

Ha, 1½ ft. This unique novelty is most outstanding due to the fact that, unlike other Nicotianas, its flowers remain open all day long, even in the hottest sun.

The plants are of very bushy habit, reaching a height of 1½-2 ft., and about the same distance across, throwing an abundance of flowers. The purity of the white flowers is accentuated by a tiny red center, and are delightfully scented.

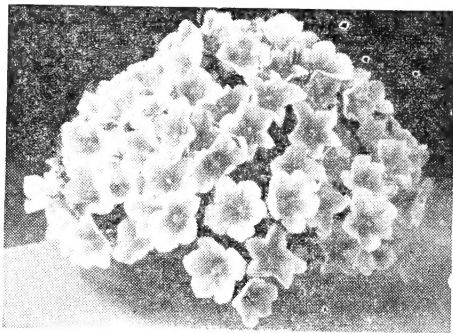
Pkt. 25c; 3 pkts. 65c

1432—NICOTIANA SENSATION HYBRIDS. Similar in habit and size to Nicotiana Daylight, and like it remain open all day. The range of colors is very comprehensive, passing from pure white to deep crimson through many shades of cream, purple, and pink. Fragrant in the evening. Pkt. 25c; 3 for 65c.

784—DIMORPHOTHECA PLUVIALIS VAR RINGENS. Award of Merit Royal Hort. Soc. hha, 1 ft. The glistening white flower with its bright zone of blue will bring a cooling air to your garden on the hottest summer days, for it thrives on sun and the heat of summer. The rounded plant is literally covered with bloom. Pkt. 25c.

1354—MIRABILIS UNIFLORA Hhp. 3 ft. Bright rose blossoms in trumpet-in-trumpet form, each long-tubed blossom arising from a second "flower" of the same vivid rose. Showy and unusual, quite free blooming. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.

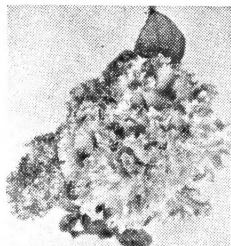
487—CARNATION SUPER GIANT MIXED. An improved Chabaud Giant strain with flowers 1/3 larger than ordinary strains. Very double and strongly clove scented. Pkt. 25c.



1444—NIEREMBERGIA PURPLE ROBE or Dwarf Cup Flower. See pg. 20.



English Delphinium



All Double Glorious Petunias

Ruffled, fringed, fully double. See pg. 8.



Raspberry Rose Pansy

1497—PANSY SWISS GIANT RASPBERRY ROSE. An entirely new color in the Swiss Giant strain. A lovely tinge of pink best described as Raspberry Rose. It has a suggestion of a lighter tone on the edges and is marked with a velvety blotch in a deeper tone. We are glad to offer this outstanding novelty. Pkt. 25c; 3 pkts. 65c.

1496—PANSY SWISS GIANT ORANGE. Fully described on page 5. Pkt. 25c.

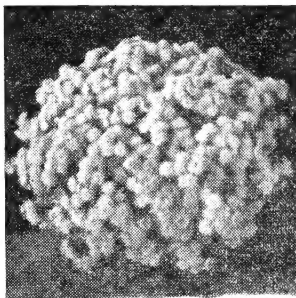
1490—PANSY CURLED DOUBLE FRINGED CHOICE MIXED. A fine and unusual strain originating in Holland. A choice color blending. Pkt. 25c.

2102—VIOLA KING HENRY I. A delightful novelty. Deep violet with heavenly blue center and bright yellow eye. The plant is persistent and strong growing. Pkt. 25c.

2237—LUTHER BURBANK ZINNIA. The original selection and breeding work for this Giant Zinnia was done by the famous Luther Burbank, and is being introduced just one year in advance of the centennial of Burbank's birth. The flowers are larger than Dahlia Flowered Zinnias and distinguished by their pastel colors. Pkt. 25c; 3 pkts. 65c.

1826—BABY SALVIA (Michrophylla) Ha, 14 in. This dainty plant is a separate species from the Splendens varieties, having small brilliant red flowers carried on plants with contrasting dark olive green foliage. Uniform in growth; 14-16 in. Fine for bedding or for winter window plants. Pkt. 25c.

486—CARNATION J. M. BRIDGEFORD (Malmesbury). Begins blooming 90 days after sowing seed either indoors or outdoors. Fully double Carnations 3-4 inches across are borne on long stems. The color range is complete all Carnation colors including yellow are represented. Flowers thruout the summer until frost. Height 1¼ ft. Pkt. 25c.



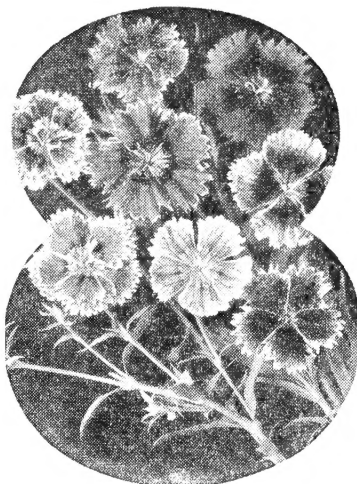
41—AGERATUM MIDGET BLUE. Pkt. 10c. See page 13 for description.

29—AGERATUM PRINCESS VICTORIA LOUISE. 8 in. A lovely new bi-color, bright blue with white center. Pkt. 10c, 25c.

668—DELPHINIUM IMPROVED CHINESE. An English introduction which is a much improved Annual Mixture. Flowers are larger, plants more robust. Complete mixture. Pkt. 10c.

1598—PETUNIA GARDEN GIANTS. NEW DWARF RUFFLED PETUNIA. The finest variety of Giant ruffled Petunias ever developed for Home Garden use. Uniform, well rounded mounds 12 in. high, which make an ideal border. Plants begin flowering when small and continue the gorgeous display all through the summer, holding their size and ruffling even under adverse conditions of heat and dryness. The mixture includes a wide variety of bright color combinations. Pkt. 25c.

We invite your especial attention to the fine new flowers listed on pages 2, 3, and 4. You will find almost every variety offered by any seedsman listed in the body of the book, but these three pages we have reserved for those which we consider of especial merit. The All Americans on page 4, and on pages 2 and 3 Nicotiana Sensation, Dianthus Heddensis, Zinnia Luther Burbank, Bush Type Verbena, Snapdragon Cherry Rose, Petunia Garden Giants, Delphinium Percival are all offered for the first time this year. Others are of recent introduction and of such merit that we reserved a place on these pages for them. We know you will like them all



DIANTHUS HEDDENSIS

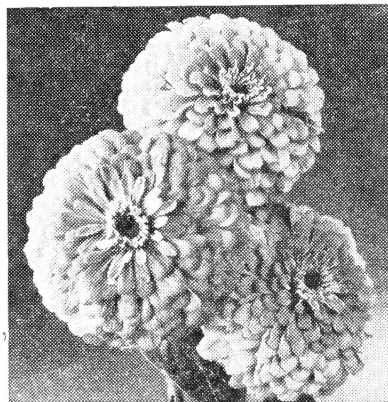
722—FINEST MIXED, Ha, 16"

The 1946 All American Winner Westwood Beauty now offered in the full range of Dianthus colors. Well formed 2 in. flowers on long 16 in. stems, fine for cutting. Large open flowers, rugged growth and long stems, tolerance to extreme temperatures all give this new tetraploid variety a decided advantage over other types. In bloom from early summer until frost. Pkt. 25c.

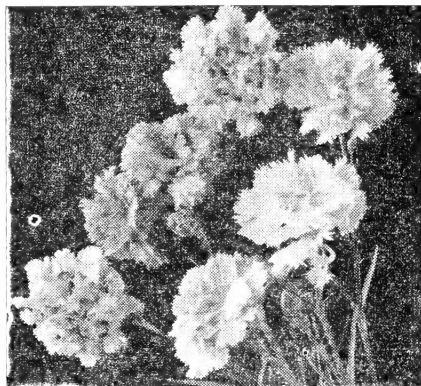
1852—SCABIOSA IMPERIAL HYBRIDS. The Popular Blue Moon Scabiosa type now in many new and unusual colors. Pkt. 25c.

139—ALL DOUBLE SNAPDRAGON. The flowers are large in size, and contain several extra petals protruding from the throat. The first All Double Antirrhinum to be grown from seed. Flowers are yellow with pink tube. Pkt. (20 seed) 25c; 50 seed 50c.

154—SNAPDRAGON CHERRY ROSE. Ha, 2½ ft. Majus Grandiflorum, rust resistant. A new and beautiful color which has long been desired. A bright shade of deep cherry-rose. Pkt. 25c.



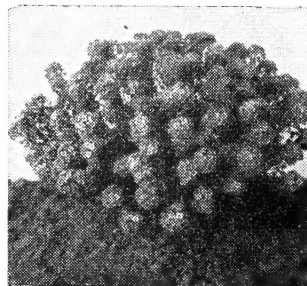
Luther Burbank Zinnia



J. M. BRIDGEFORD A CARNATION THAT BLOOMS IN 90 DAYS FROM SEED



2045—NEW BUSH TYPE VERBENA. Hybrid Grandiflora Salmon Pink. Plants erect, making broad flat-topped bushy plants about 8-10 in. high, 12-15 in. across, with flower heads practically touching each other. A row of them makes an even, uniform band closely covered with flowers over a very long blooming season. Flowers large, bright salmon pink with small white eye. Pkt. 25c.



Alyssum Violet Queen

72—ALYSSUM VIOLET QUEEN. Ha, 6 in. Dwarf, compact, neat and free flowering. Rich deep violet blooms all summer. Pkt. 10c or 25c. See page 13 for full description.

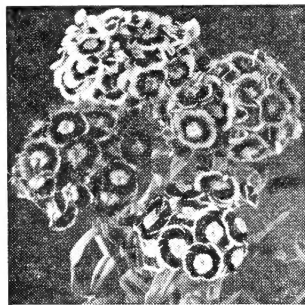


# New Flowers and Specialties

## PERENNIALS AND PATENTED ROSES FLOWERS FOR YOUR WINTER WINDOW

482—**CARNATION TRIAL GROUND MIXTURE.** Seeds saved from the trial grounds and breeding trials of a great Carnation grower. This mixture embraces all classes and colors, many of them new and unknown. Pkt. 25c.

762—**SWEET WILLIAM INDIAN CARPET.** The outstanding feature of this new type of Sweet William is the habit of the plants, which are very dwarf and compact, not exceeding 5-6 in. in height, thus presenting all the showy colors on a uniform level. These include the large auricula-eyed forms with zones of red and scarlet, pink and also a great number of selfs, such as crimson, scarlet, pink and white. Plant the seed in spring, transplant where they are to bloom in autumn about 12 inches apart each way, the beds will display in springtime a gorgeous carpet-like effect, lasting well into the early summer and providing the grower with a rich reward for his efforts. Pkt. 25c.



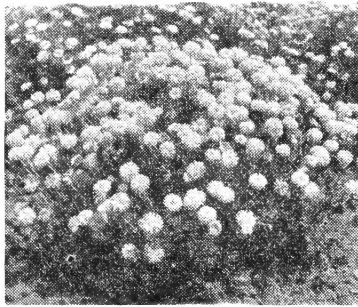
Sweet William Indian Carpet

287—**AUBRIETIA VIOLET QUEEN** Hp, 6 in. A new Rock Cress for a sheet of Spring bloom. Deep violet. Pkt. 10c; 25c.

**Now In Separate Colors**  
**DOUBLE PAINTED DAISIES.**  
**PYRETHRUM EXTRA DOUBLE**  
See Page 30.

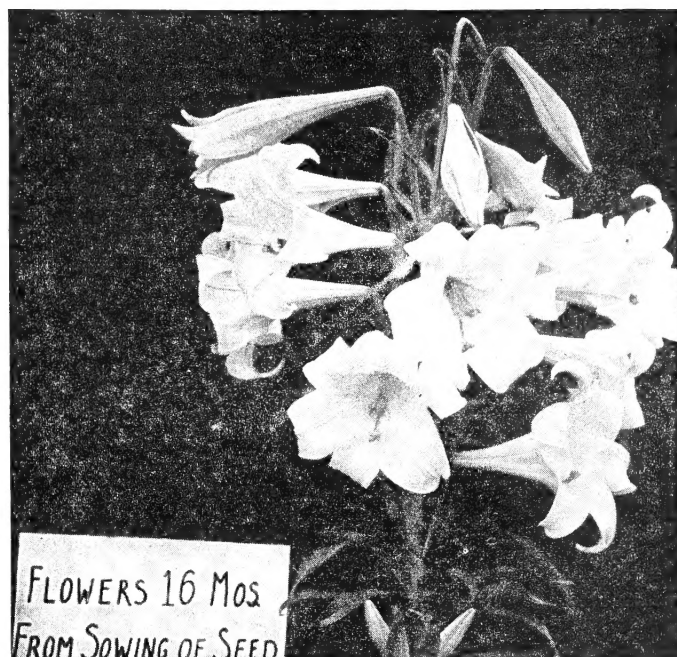
669—**DELPHINIUM PERCIVAL**

A new Pacific Giant Series. A companion to the popular Galahad Series, of equally good quality and habit. The large, glistening white flowers have strongly contrasting black bees. 25c.



544 — **CHRYSANTHEMUM GLORY MIXED.** Our finest mixture of Hardy Chrysanthemums with an exceedingly wide range of brilliant colors. Contains seeds of Korean and Arcticum Hybrids as well as Azaliumums, Indicum, and Morifolium. Pkt. 25c.

569—**CLEMATIS RECTA.** Hp. 5 ft. An erect growing, shrub like Clematis with 1 in. pure white flowers in large terminal panicles. Pkt. 25c.



1167—**LILY WHITE QUEEN.** This new strain flowers in 15-16 months from seed. A well grown specimen will have as many as 15 flowers per stem. The flowers are pure white and appear as in the picture above. Pkt. 25c.

1175—**BELLINGHAM HYBRIDS.** A large number of West Coast Native Lilies were crossed and the finest ones selected for this beautiful strain. Many of them are pure yellow. The seed were raised by Mr. Edgar L. Kline in Oregon. He is perhaps the best authority on Lilies in the United States. Pkt. 25c.

## NEW PATENTED ROSES—2 yr. No. 1

The Roses listed below are all Hybrid Teas with the exception of Blaze which is an ever-blooming climber. These patented Roses will be sent by express collect, or via parcel post if 15c extra per plant for postage is sent with your order.

**PEACE.** (Pat. 591). AARS 1946. The most beautiful rose in the world today. Huge yellow buds, edged cerise, open to great Peony-like blooms, often 5-6 inches across, changing to creamy yellow with a delicate flush of pink. Plants are hardy and vigorous, producing flowers on straight, strong stems all summer long. Mild fragrance. Each \$2.00.

**BLAZE.** (Pat. 10). Most Popular of All Climbing Roses. The everblooming counterpart of Paul's Scarlet. Height 10-12 ft. Masses of vivid scarlet or Flag Red double flowers over a long period in springtime, intermittent flowers all season. Each \$1.50.

**CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG.** (Pat. 455).

**AARS 1941.** Long slender blood-red buds open into magnificent brilliant colored flowers of spectrum-red. Each \$1.50.

**ECLIPSE.** (Pat. 172) The "Streamlined" Rose. The best all-purpose yellow Rose in all climates. Flowers golden yellow, large, long lasting when cut, light fragrance. Each \$1.35.

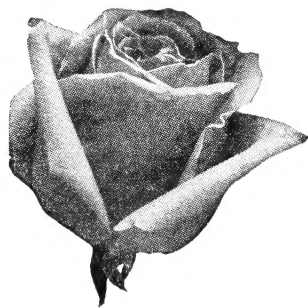
**GLOAMING.** (Pat. 137). Gracefully formed, delicate salmon-pink buds blending into tawny orange and gold. Large, double, perfect blooms. Fragrant. Each \$1.35.

**MIRANDY.** AARS 1945 (Pat. 632). The large, long-pointed, buds are deep rich dark red with black shadings, opening Chrysanthemum red. Huge, long lasting, fragrant. Each \$1.50.

163 — **AQUILEGIA CRIMSON STAR.** Hp. 2 ft. Graceful two foot plants with giant 3 inch flowers of deep coppery crimson and cup-like center of contrasting creamy white. Fine long stems for cutting.

169— **AQUILEGIA JAETSCHAU.** 2 ft. Yellow flowers with contrasting red spurs. A striking and novel flower.

161 — **AQUILEGIA CLEMATIFLORA.** (Spurless Columbine). Clematis shaped flowers in many colors.



**BLACKBERRY LILY.** (Par-danthus Sinensis) A plant to please. Iris-like leaves with tall stems bearing two-inch showy flowers of orange and crimson; followed by ornamental seed clusters. Strong growing, hardy perennial. Roots: 25c ea; 3 for 65c.

1544—Seeds: Pkt. 10c; 25c.

**BUTTERFLY LILY.** (Hedychium coronarium) Deliciously sweet scented, pure white flowers shaped like a giant Butterfly. Treat as Cannas. Roots: 35c ea.; 3 for 95c.

1954 — **BIRD OF PARADISE.** Strelitzia regina. Pictured on page 35. Large bird-like yellow flowers with dark blue tongues and purple boat like bracts. 1 seed 15c; 2 seeds 25c.



**GLOXINIAS IN SEPARATE COLORS**

878—**SCARLET WHITE EDGE**

879—**VIOLET WHITE Edge.**

880—**PURE WHITE.**

881—**TIGRINA.** Spotted mixed.

884—**FIRE KING.** Bright red.

882—**COMPLETE MIXTURE.** Pkt. 10c Giant Pkt. 25c.

322 — **BEGONIA GUSTAV KNA A K E.** (Semperflorens). Everblooming, very free flowering with large fiery crimson flowers, measuring 1½-2 in. across; height 8-10 in. Fine for pot plant and bedding. Pkt. 25c.

1794 — **AFRICAN VIOLET** (Saintpaulia ionantha). Seed from a very fine collection of African Violets. Pkt. 25c. For plants see page 35.

## WINDOW GARDEN FLOWERS

574—**CLIVIA MINIATA**

Rare and Most Glorious  
Sometimes known as the Kafir-lily. Giant trumpet shaped flowers of bright scarlet with yellow throats are borne in umbels atop a 1 ft. stem. Strapleaved foliage reminds one of the Amaryllis family of which it is a member. Directions for growing with each package. Large seed 20c each; 3 for 50c.

**CYCLAMEN SEPARATE COLORS.**

626—**CHRISTMAS HOLLY.** 3 seeds 25c.

618—**MOZART.** Deep Pink. 3 seeds 25c.

619—**Pure white.** 3 seeds 25c.

See page 33 for other varieties.

4—**ABUTILON** Hybrids. Hha, 3 ft. Flowering Maple). For outdoor summer bedding, for bright blooms all winter indoors. This is a large flowered strain which includes all colors. See pg. 32.

585—**COLEUS BALL COPPER**

**GIANT.** Produces large leaves of a pleasing copper rose shade and comes about 75% true to type. Pkt. 25c.

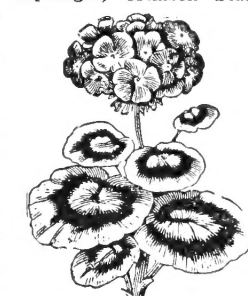


Aquilegia, Crimson Star

582—**COLEUS PRIDE OF MONTFERLAND.** A new strain with large leaves distinguished by its beautiful colors and robust, compact growth. This is our finest Coleus. Pkt. 25c.

392—**CAMELLIA JAPONICA.** The pride of Dixie's gardens, the glory of Northern conservatories. 2 seeds 10c; 6 seeds 25c.

1550—**GERANIUM (Pelargonium).** Zonale Mixed. Best known and finest Geranium for home culture. A complete mixture of colors including some rare and unusual ones. Pkt. 10c.

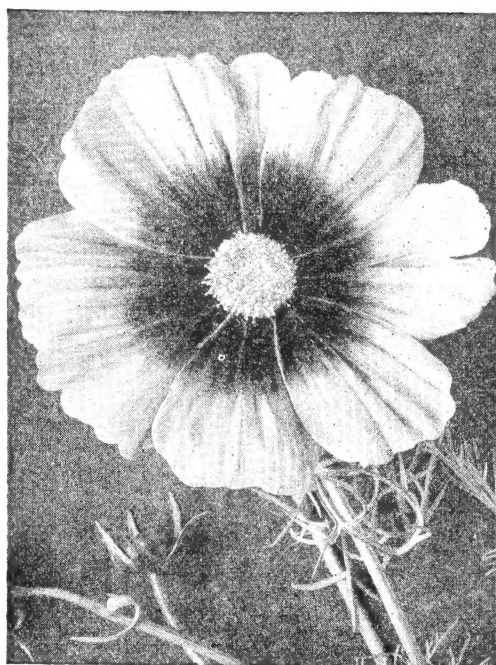


Geranium Zonale

# 1948 ALL AMERICAN WINNERS

The All American selections are the most worthy of the new varieties entered in the All American trials from all parts of the world. There are 18 flower trial grounds, and twenty vegetable trial grounds located in the various climatic zones of this country. Entries are designated by number only, and ex-

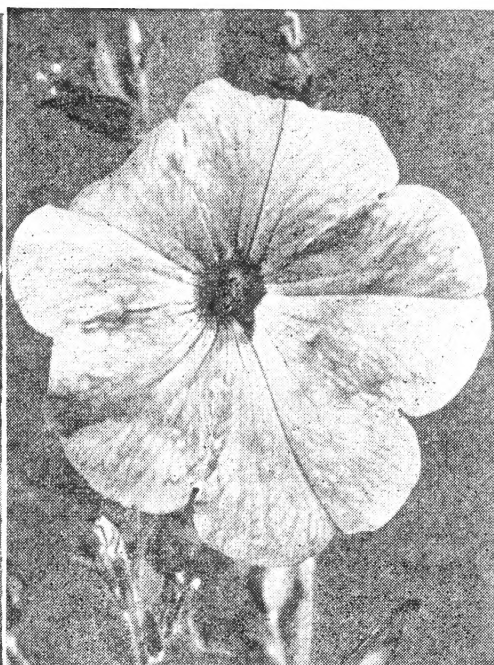
pert, impartial judges observe, report and vote their preferences. Results: The finest flowers and vegetables in the world. 1948 selections are described on this page. Selections from past years are listed throughout this book. Be the first to grow these Medal Winners for '48.



**COSMOS RADIANCE**

Pictured in color on back cover.  
**The First Bicolor Cosmos Ever Developed.**

616—Winner of the highest award in the '48 All America trials, Radiance introduces two entirely new colors in Sensation Cosmos: Striking deep rose, and rich crimson. It is the first big postwar novelty. One of its parents came to this country from far off India 12 years ago. This has been crossed with American Cosmos and a program of careful selection carried out for 12 years at Bodger Lompoc, Calif., breeding grounds. Radiance has larger flowers than the sensation type, and an erect, strong habit characteristically its own. The colors, striking by daylight, change completely in artificial light, becoming deep velvety crimson and soft luminescent rose. Exceptionally long lasting when cut, with a pleasing and quite noticeable fragrance. Pkt. 25c; 3 pkts. 65c.



**PETUNIA PINK SENSATION**

**New Type  
MULTIFLORA PETUNIA**  
Bronze Medal

1560—The unusually large rose-pink flowers are borne so profusely the tall, bushy plants seem completely covered with color. The plants grow upright, 24 in. tall, and are so husky they do not break open as so many bedding petunias do. Pkt. 25c; 3 for 65c.



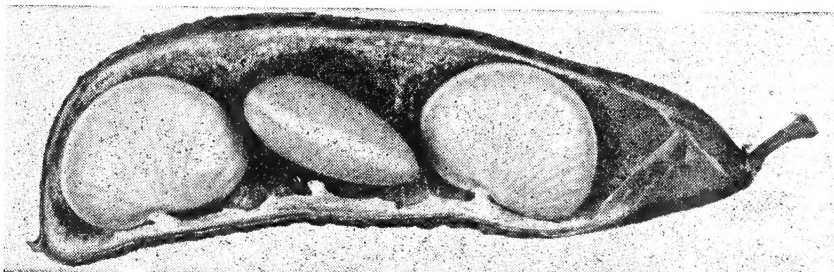
**Red Head**

**MARIGOLD RED HEAD**  
**Bronze Medal**

1317—Large single crested flowers 2 in. across, with broad overlapping, gracefully recurved petals—opening rich mahogany, changing to auburn and later to bronzy gold. The crested center is made up of tiny erect golden petals edged with maroon. Compact, dwarf plants about 1 ft. high and 1½ ft. across, completely covered with flowers. Pkt. 25c; 3 pkts. 65c.

## COLLECTION 096 — All three for 65c

ALL AMERICAN COLLECTION FOR '48. One packet of each Cosmos Radiance, Petunia Sensation, Marigold Red Head for only 65¢.



Pod of **PEERLESS** Bush Lima—actual size.

## ALL AMERICAN VEGETABLE WINNERS FOR 1948

V28—**PEERLESS BUSH LIMA BEAN.** 72 days. Honorable Mention. More productive, and larger than Henderson. Peerless is outstanding in flavor when cooked, and it retains its fine green color well for cooking, canning or freezing. Another fine feature of Peerless is that its heavy set of beans is borne in clusters near the base of the plant. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 35c.

V214—**FREEZONIAN GARDEN PEA.** Bronze Medal. 63 days. The finest wrinkled seeded Pea to date. Hardier, more productive and resistant to Fusarium Wilt. Pod is dark green, blunt, 3½ in. long. Peas are fine for quick freezing, or just plain delicious eating. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 25c.

V15—**PUREGOLD WAX BUSH BEAN.** Bronze Medal. 58 days. Outstanding pure golden yellow, round podded, long, slim, stringless bean 6 in. long. Delicious and of fine quality in snapbean stage, or dried. Excellent for canning. The bush has dark green foliage, is 13 in. high, resistant to common bean mosaic. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 35c.

V13—**RANGER BUSH BEAN.** Bronze Medal '47. 95 days. Held over for introduction this year due to a short crop. Distinguished by its unusual habit of growth, disease resistance, and high yield. Plant is spreading with half-runners, vigorous, very prolific, resistant to bean mosaic. A very high quality bean for good eating. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 40c.

V16—**BEAN CHEROKEE** (Honorable Mention). 50 days. Developed from an original selection made by Dr. W. C. Barnes of South Carolina in a field of Black Valentine, which it closely resembles except for pod color. Plant large, erect; pods golden wax, oval, nearly straight, stringless at all stages, tender and of delicious eating quality. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c.



**Pure Gold Wax Bean**

**GEO. W. PARK SEED COMPANY, Greenwood, South Carolina.**



# GIANT PANSIES A PARK SPECIALTY

Pansies are well and favorably known, so that a description of their exquisite beauty, and usefulness in the garden is unnecessary. They are simply indispensable, and if we were to name a half dozen of our best seedling flowers, the Pansy would be one of them. There is, however, much difference in the strains, some being greatly superior in vigor and free-blooming quality to other plants, as well as the great size, form, variety, and richness of colors and variations. We are pleased to say that the seeds we offer are from Pansy specialists, all of the new crop, and cannot be surpassed in quality, regardless of claim or price. We call your especial attention to Sluis Bros. Super Swiss Giants pictured on our front cover and described at left.

## PANSY CULTURE

This is treated fully in "The Gardener's Handbook" which is sent free with every order. (hnp. Treated as annual.)

Seed may be sown inside in late winter and transplanted as soon as the ground may be worked for spring and early summer bloom. Sow in June for autumn transplanting; Sow in August for very early spring transplanting and bloom. August sown seeds are best left in the propagating boxes for protection during winter.

Pansies like a cool, moist, rich sandy loam. If located properly and the flowers are kept picked, they will bloom from early spring until frost.

## LARGEST MOST BEAUTIFUL

Geo. W. Park Seed Co. Springvale, Me.

Gentlemen: June 21, 1947

I take pleasure in telling you that the Pansy seed I obtained from you grew the largest and most beautiful Pansies I have ever seen, to the delight of all who have seen them. Sincerely,

F. J. W.

## PANSY PLANTS

**SLUIS BROS. SUPER GIANT SWISS.** We offer fine, healthy plants of this variety (described at left, and pictured on our front cover). These plants are ready to begin blooming in your garden shortly after they are planted. Postpaid to your doorstep. 25 for \$1.25; 100 for \$3.75.

## GIANT FLOWERED—SPECIAL COLORS

Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.

1475—**AZURE GIANTS.** The largest flowered of the brilliant blues—deep dazzling blue with well designed blotch. Plants are sturdy.

1474—**RED GIANTS.** Huge flowers of great beauty, of all cardinal colors. A worthwhile addition.

1476—**WHITE GIANTS.** Perfect flowers, large, 1477—**TRIMARDEAU** or Giant Bedding Mixed. Plants are compact and very hardy. Best for beds.

1490—**CURLED DOUBLE FRINGED MIXED.** A fine and unusual strain originating in Holland. A choice color blending. Pkt. 25c.

1491—**GIANT ORCHID FLOWERING.** A soft fancy colored mixture of great beauty.

1486—**MAPLE LEAVED GIANTS MIXED.** Robust compact plants, large flowers, Maple-like leaves.

1493—**SUPER CANADIAN GIANTS MIXED.** An extremely bright mixture with a variety of colors not found in any other mixture, sturdy plants, very large substantial flowers. Pkt. 25c.

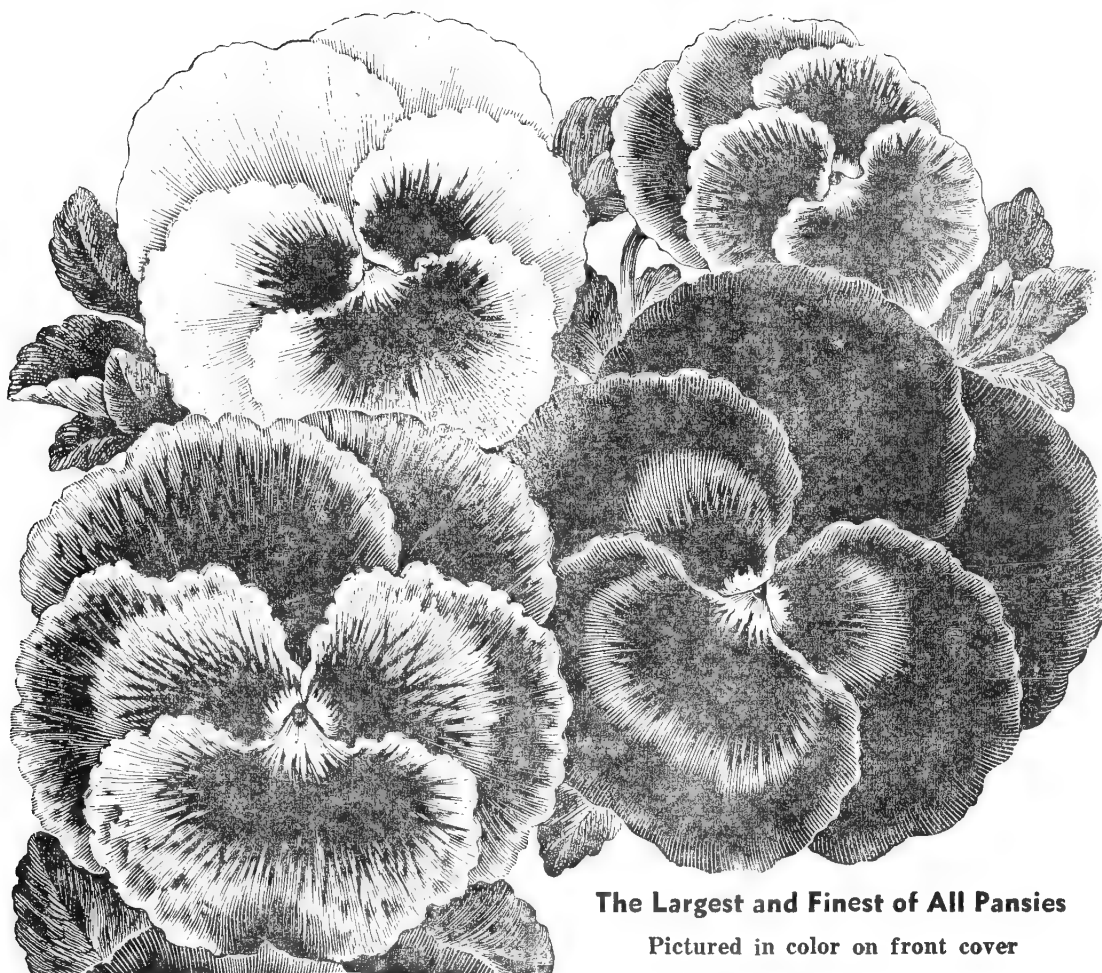
1492—**SLUIS BROTHERS SUPERIOR GIANT FLOWERED MARKET STRAIN.** This strain will meet the demand for a real giant flowered fancy Pansy. Comprises exquisite shades and colors, and produces flowers of great substance.

## GIANT WINTER BLOOMING PANSIES

These are unusually hardy and bloom very early in spring; indeed where winters are mild they bloom throughout the cold months, with a little protection such as a cold frame they will bloom during the northern winters. Started in August or Sept. so as to come into bloom by winter, you may often dig fine flowers from beneath the snow.

1483—**ICE PANSY (Hyemalis)** Winter Flowering Early Giant. A complete mixture of colors.

1481—**DON'S WINTER FLOWERING.** Extra long stemmed and upright growing. Recommended for growing in hot-house or cold frame for cutting. Pkt. 25c.



The Largest and Finest of All Pansies

Pictured in color on front cover

# SLUIS BROTHERS SUPER GIANT SWISS PANSIES

When Swiss Roggli Pansies were introduced we thought the acme of size, color and variegation in Pansies had been reached. They are indeed wonderful. But we now have a strain developed by Sluis Brothers in Holland that surpasses everything hitherto known in Pansies. The flowers are not only Giants but Super-giants, their size being enormous—larger than all others, and what is more, they include a range of colors and variegations that have never been approached in giant Pansies. Messers. Sluis have grown the seeds for us from special re-selected plants and flowers. Our seeds, can therefore, be absolutely relied upon to yield the finest—the very finest—Pansies in the world without any exception. Price: Pkt. (50 seed) 10c; Giant Pkt. (200 seed) 25c; 1/32 oz. 75c; 1/16 oz. \$1.35. Order No. 1495.

## ROGGLI SWISS GIANTS

**IMPROVED ROGGLI SWISS GIANTS.** Most popular of the Giant Pansies, this group is enthusiastically admired for its exquisite colors and huge size. Color tendency is toward the handsome deeper tones, well balanced by yellows, whites and light blues. 1473—**Superb Mixture.** Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c; 1/32 oz. 50c; 1/16 oz. 95c; ¼ oz. \$3.00.

## SWISS GIANT COLORS

We offer the following fine Roggli colors:

Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.

1465—**ALPENGLOW.** Cardinal shades.

1466—**BERNA.** Dark violet blue.

1467—**CORONATION GOLD.** Canary yellow, lower petals flushed golden orange, slightly ruffled.

1468—**FIRE BEACON.** Brick red.

1469—**LAKE OF THUN.** Thuner Sea blue.

1470—**RHEINGOLD.** Yellow with blotch.

1471—**WHITE.** Pure white.

1472—**YELLOW MASTER.** Pure yellow.

1496—**SWISS GIANT ORANGE.**

Color is vivid orange, the upper petals with a halo of golden yellow, the lower petal is deep orange. Flowers are perfectly round with overlapping petals of good substance. Introduced and grown for us by Vis Bros. in Holland after 10 years of careful hybridisation. Pkt. (50 seeds) 25c; 3 pkts. 65c.

1497—**SWISS GIANT RASPBERRY ROSE.**

An entirely new color in the Swiss Giant Strain. A lovely tint of pink, best described as Raspberry Rose. It has a suggestion of a lighter tone on the edges and a velvety blotch in a deeper tone. Outstanding novelty. Pkt. (25 seeds) 25c; 3 pkts. 65c.

1480—**DWARF SWISS GIANT**

Very low growing plants with fine large flowers. Extra choice variety for the rockery or low border. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.

1482—**ENGELMANN'S GIANT.** A distinct and superior Scottish show type of Pansy that should be found in every garden. The plants are thrifty and luxuriant; the handsome, long-stemmed flowers begin to bloom early, and if kept plucked, the bed will form a glorious display of marvelous perfection, ranging from the deep bronze, golden, purple and reddish shades to the exquisite blues, yellows, and creams, blotched and marked to perfection. Originator's seeds. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c; 1/32 oz. 75c.

1494—**WONDERFUL PEDIGREED**

Early flowering robust plants, with long stems, huge flowers of heavy textured round formation in a remarkably beautiful, bright and varied color range and markings, all combine to make these Monster Pansies wonderful for beds or specimens. Pkt. 10c; 1/32 oz. 75c.

1489—**RUFFLED OR FRILLED**

Masterpiece, Mixed.

Crinkled and ruffled blooms of such great substance as to appear double. Colors mostly in richer deeper tones. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.

## 1488—Park's Pedigreed Exhibition Giant Art Shades

Developed for all the best qualities of early, huge, long stemmed, splendid textured flowers with particular selection of art and pastel shades, these plants produce a unique and strikingly beautiful effect. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c; 1/32 oz. 75c.

1484—**JUMBO MIXTURE.** Uniformly extra large flowered and strong growing. A famous American Strain. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c; 1/64 oz. 45c.

1485—**SPECIAL SCOTTISH EXHIBITION.** Extra large flowers of perfect form and substance in a multitude of many color combinations, blotched.

You'll adore a bed of Colorful Giant Pansies grown from Park's Seeds.

# AQUILEGIA

# or COLUMBINE Queen of Flowers

**Yours for the choosing. Grace, color, sheer beauty of form.**

**Pictured in color inside front cover.**

Red, yellow, pink, blue, white; long spurred and spurless, which do you want?

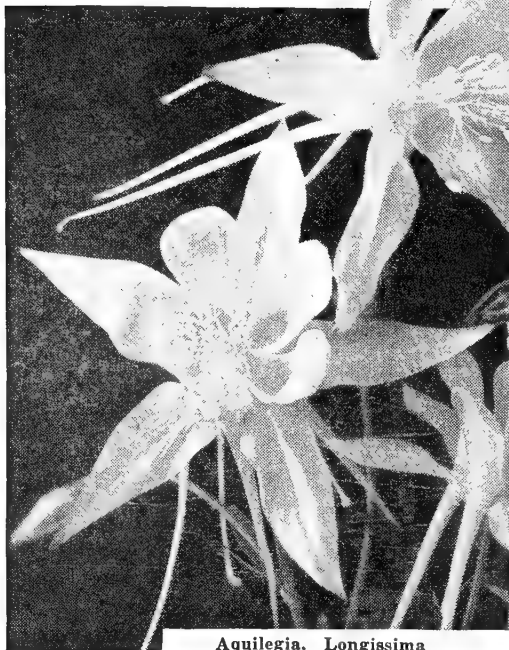
Hp. Choice cut flowers borne on strong wiry stems in profusion during spring and early summer. The foliage is airy and graceful, delightful in the border. One of the most easily grown perennials, very dependable and long lived. One year old plants may be forced for winter bloom in the greenhouse. Seed sown inside in early spring will usually bloom in fall the first season. Likes partial shade.

**COLUMBINE CULTURE:** This subject is treated fully on pg. 12 of "The Gardener's Handbook" sent free with your order.

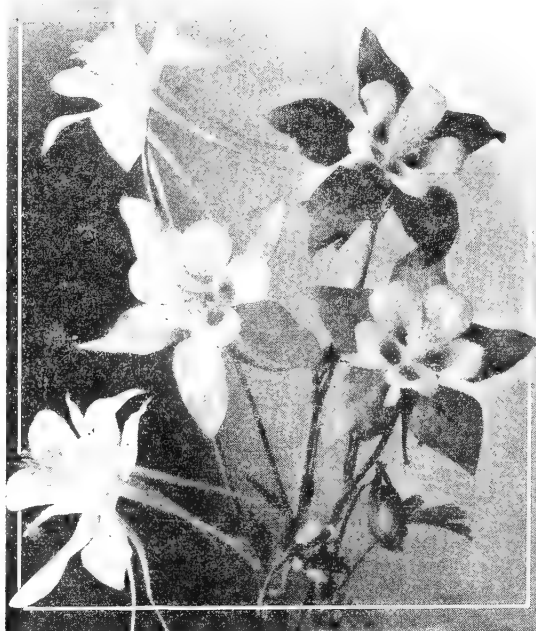
Seed may be sown in frames in spring, early summer or fall. Germination takes about 4 weeks, but the seed is very dependable and almost every one planted will come up, if the bed is kept moist. The plants like a cool, moist, partly shaded location.

156—ALPINA, 18 in. Dwarf, deep blue.

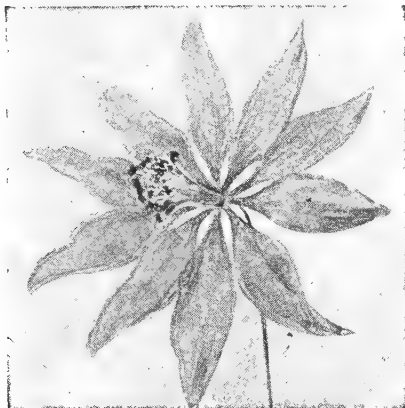
157—BLUE SHADES. Long spurred, variety of all pretty blue tones.



Aquilegia, Longissima



Aquilegia—Mrs. Scott Elliott's Hybrids



161—Aquilegia Clematiflora. Pkt. 10c.

159—CANADENSIS, 2 ft. Dainty, brilliant scarlet and yellow. Blooms from May until July.

160—CHRYSANTHA, 2 ft. Attractive rich yellow.

161—CLEMATIFLORA (New Spurless Columbine). Medium height, compact, free flowering; large open Clematis-shaped flowers in delicate colors.

162—COERULEA, Rocky Mountain Columbine, 2 ft. Sky blue, white corolla. One of our best.

163—CRIMSON STAR, 2 ft. Petals striking crimson and white centers and blooms 3 in. and more across. Brilliant. Blooms May-June. Hardy.

164—DOBBIE'S IMPERIAL HYBRIDS, 3 ft. One of the finest improved strains. Long spurs, large flowers in an excellent range of colors and combinations. Recommended.

165—LONGISSIMA. Noted for unusually long, slender spurs, 4-5 in. long, giving the pale yellow fls an exceptionally graceful effect. From Northern Mexico, likes hot dry places. June fr.

166—LONG-SPURRED HYBRIDS. Novel colors in mixture.

**PLANTS:** Mrs. Scott Elliott's Hybrids. We offer 1 year old plants, strong and sure to bloom. Mixed colors only. 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75.

167—MRS. SCOTT ELLIOTT'S HYBRIDS, Long Spurred. Beautiful, most popular long spurred mixture.

168—NANA ALBA. A dwarf large flowering plant bearing milk white flowers of rare beauty.

169—JAETSCHAU, 2 ft. Yellow with red spurs.

170—PINK SHADES. Delicate pink with long spurs.

171—RAINBOW MIXTURE OF COLORADO VARIETIES. A fine blend of many colors of Mountain Aquilegia.

172—ROSE QUEEN, 2 ft. Soft rose, white corolla.

173—SNOW QUEEN OR SILVER QUEEN, 2 ft. Beautiful silver white tinged cream at throat. Fragrant flowers in May and June. Best white.

174—DOUBLE FLOWERED MIXTURE, 2 ft. Comes in many forms and colors. Surprising and delightful.

175—VULGARIS EDELWEIS. Long stems, snow white flowers.

176—PARK'S SPECIAL COMPLETE MIXTURE all varieties.

## VIOLA CORNUTA—VIOLETS OR TUFTED PANSIES

Companion plants to Pansies, though flowers are not as large. Admirably adapted for rockery, beds, and borders as the colors are bright and attractive, plants are sturdy and free blooming, thriving in moist partial shade, with no enemies. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.

2073—ARKWRIGHT RUBY. Ruby crimson shading to terra cotta. Flowers larger than ordinary.

2074—AVAL. IE. Large, pure white. 25c.

2076—BLUE BEAUTY. Very early, brightest blue.

2077—BLUE ELF, 9 in. Upper petals deep violet blue, lower petals light blue, gold eye and black lines radiating from the center.

2078—BLUE PERFECTION. Pretty medium blue.

2079—CHANTREYLAND. Best pure apricot.

2080—ILONA. Wine red.

2084—LUTEA SPLENDENS. Deep golden yellow.

2086—PUCK. Upper half purple, lower half yellow. Very pretty and unusual.

2090—WHITE PERFECTION. Dainty, snow white.

2091—YELLOW GEM. Fine long stems, golden.

2093—MIXED—Complete mixture of all colors.

2102—KING HENRY I. Deep violet with heavenly blue center and bright yellow eye. A very attractive and delightful novelty. Pkt. 25c.

2085—THE BLACK IMP. Viola Nigra. Quaint little flowers that might have been snipped from black velvet. Blooms quickly and true from seed.

### CHOICE GEMS

The Gem class is more compact in growth, very free flowering; flowers are larger and slightly ruffled. These are ideal for the border.

2082—JERSEY GEM (Blue Gem). 8 in. Flowers rich velvet blue with slightly ruffled petals are borne on long stems. An excellent variety for cutting. Slightly fragrant.

2083—LAVENDER GEM. Brilliant lavender blue.

2088—ROSE GEM. Deep rose. Unusual.

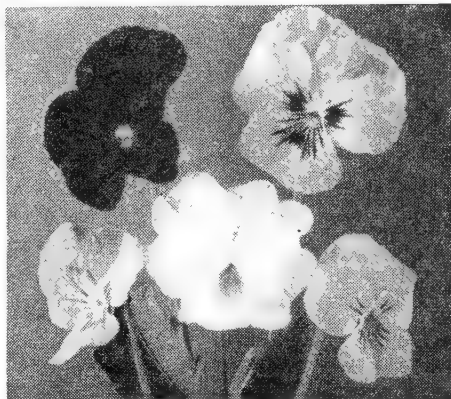
2091—YELLOW GEM. Pure yellow. Long stems.

2089—WHITE GEM. Pure white.

2092—GEM MIXED. Special mixture.

### BUTTERFLY VIOLETS (Papilio)

Hp. Blooming the first season. Hardy and free blooming. The flowers are larger than other Cornuta varieties, and usually have purple centers. 2098—Light blue; 2099—Yellow; 2100—White; 2101—Mixed.



Viola Cornuta—Park's Pride

2081—PARK'S PRIDE IMPROVED SCOTCH BEDDING. VIOLA CORNUTA. A grand New bedding hybrid mixture of all the finest, brightest, gayest colors in the largest size flowers and most robust plants. A supreme mixture.

### PANSIES

Dear Sirs:

El Kader, Ia., Sept. 9, 1947  
I must tell you about the Sluis Bros. Pansy seed that I planted this spring. It did very well even in our terrific heat. There have been quite a few flowers and the stems are very long. The Swiss Giant Orange are the most beautiful yellow pansies I have ever seen, and they have been blooming very well.

I have joined a pansy club that the "Flower Grower" is sponsoring and it is fun to try all kinds of seeds. I am pleased that I can get such good ones from you, and try several different kinds. Sincerely yours, K. M. H.

## SELECTING AND SOWING

If you wish seeds to sow in a garden bed or to present to children, or if you have had but little experience in raising flowers from seeds, select such flowers as Alyssum, Asters, Balsams, Cosmos, Calendula, Candytuft, Oriental Pinks, Gaillardia, Helianthus, Marigold, Mignonette, Bedding Petunia, Pansy, Phlox, Ricinus, Scabiosa, Nasturtium, Valerian, Verbena and Zinnia; for vines get Cobaea, Cypress, Dolichos, Gourds, Morning Glory, Thunbergia. Even in sowing these it is well to prepare the bed carefully in a sunny exposure; place a low board frame around it, and after sowing, water and cover with a newspaper until plants appear. If you sow seeds in the open with full exposure to rain, wind and sun, you should not complain if few of the seeds become plants. In a protected bed sowing can be done earlier than in an open one, as extra covering of paper or boards can be applied on cold nights.

**TO INSURE SUCCESS.** Many failures with seeds are due to lack of knowledge of the time required by the seeds to germinate. Study the table on pages 45 and 46 to avoid failures from this cause. Follow instructions in the "Gardener's Handbook" sent free with every order, and always divide the packet to make several sowings.

### PRIZEWINNER

Dear Sirs:

Sept. 23, 1947  
Gladstone, N. J.  
I was fortunate enough to win the prize you offered at the Bernardsville, N. J. Flower Show on Sept. 6. I also want to say that I won your offer last year and the specimens which got all the blue ribbons for me were from your seeds, which I purchased this past spring. (Of course I fed the plants and cultivated them, but the seed was good, hence the good stock I had to start with.)  
Yours very truly,  
Mrs. Victor Huyler.

### PERFUMED VIOLA ODORATA

2095—THE CZAR. A very large flowered, bright blue, delightfully scented.  
2096—SWEET VIOLET or Tufted Violet, hp, 4 in. (Viola Odorata semperflorens). Blue, sweet.



# Park's GIANT DELPHINIUMS

## LATEST AND BEST

These are among the finest of perennials. All are beautiful, hardy, and live and bloom freely for years. Prevailing colors are blue and violet with intermediate shades. Plant in good moist friable loam, with old manure mulching twice a year. Under the best conditions, the better Hybrid Delphiniums will attain 6 or 7 feet in height, with large flowers borne closely upon long spikes. Cropped to 6 inches after blooming in spring; a new lot of stalks will soon develop and bloom in fall.

**GERMINATION NOTES:** To improve germination, place seed between moist blotters and leave directly under freezing compartment in refrigerator for a week prior to planting. Then see directions in "Gardener's Handbook" pg. 12.

## SPECIAL STRAINS

671—**BLACKMORE AND LANGDON STRAIN.** We have been able to secure this famous strain direct from the originators. Large, double mixture.

670—**BELLAMOSUM**, the best of the Belladonna type. Has large single flowers of rich deep blue with white contrasting bee. Uniform in color.

673—**CLEVEDEN BEAUTY.** Lovely light blue.

The finest strain of Belladonna on the market.

675—**LAMARTINE.** Like a summer sky, this lovely Gentian blue flower with cloud like creamy center.

672—**CARDINALE.** Fine large-flowered brilliant scarlet. Very popular.

674—**GOLD MEDAL HYBRIDS.** Huge 3 in. single and semi-double flowers are borne, well spaced, on tall spikes. Wide color range, from dark blues to sky blue with tints of pink and delightfully contrasting center markings. Desirable for handsome garden display.

676—**WREXHAM-HOLLYHOCK STRAIN**

The 6-ft. plants have tall graceful spire-shaped spikes of huge florets in a blend of most beautiful shades. A splendid garden plant and cut flower. Finest mixed colors of light blue, dark blue and pastel art shades.

**THESE BLOOM FIRST SEASON**

**CHINESE LARGE-FLOWERED.** hp, 2 ft. Long racemes of showy flowers 677—**BLUE**; 678—**WHITE**; 679—**MIXED.**

668—**IMPROVED MIXED.** Larger flowers, a little taller, and stronger growing than above. Pkt. 25c.

**DWARF CHINESE LARGE-FLOWERED.** 12-15 in. Dwarf Butterfly type. Fine for borders and beds.

695—**BLUE** 697—**WHITE**; 698—**COMPLETE MIXTURE.**

## GIANT PACIFIC HYBRIDS

### SPECIAL KNIGHTS and their LADIES SERIES

Pictured in color, Front Cover

A remarkable new strain. The well-formed symmetrically-shaped huge flowers, 3 in. across, are 75% double and mildew resistant. We offer a marvelous mixture and many fine varieties. New crop seeds. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.

680—**\*BLACK KNIGHT SERIES.**

Dark violet with velvety texture.

685—**\*GALAHAD SERIES.** Absolutely the finest white delphinium. Pure white.

683—**\*CAMELIARD SERIES.** Pure lavender, with white bee.

681—**\*BLUE BIRD SERIES.** Clear medium blue with white bee.

682—**\*BLUEJAY SERIES.** Clear medium intense blue with dark bee.

686—**\*GUINEVERE SERIES.** Lovely light lavender pink with white bee.

687—**\*KING ARTHUR SERIES.** Brilliant royal violet with large white bee.

690—**\*MEDIUM BLUE SHADES.**

692—**SUMMER SKIES SERIES.**

Strong branching plants with huge flowers of clearest light blue. Dark bee.

691—**\*ROUND TABLE SERIES.** The best mixture of all the finest colors of the Giant Pacific Hybrid Strains.

689—**LAVENDER PASTEL SHADES.**

694—**GIANT PACIFIC HYBRIDS MIXED.** A complete mixture of every shade and tone.

669—**PERCIVAL SERIES.** A striking novelty. Pure white with black bee for contrast. Pkt. 25c.

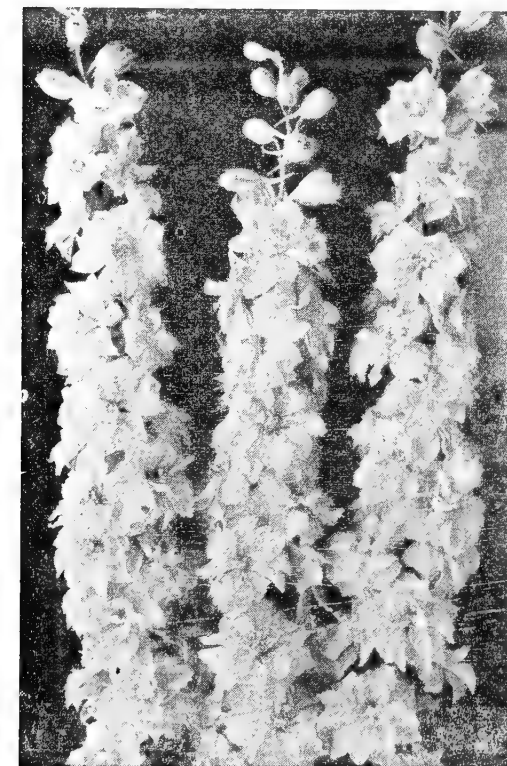
### PACIFIC HYBRID COLLECTION 072

Eight Giant Packets starred (\*) above—Value \$2.00 for \$1.50.

**NUDICAULE.** The perennial red Larkspur. 2 ft. Flowers are longspurred and mostly bicolors. 700—**Chamois**; 701—**Lemon Gem**; 702—**Scarlet** with yellow spurs; 703—**Mixed.**

## Park's IMPROVED DOUBLE LARKSPUR

These are beautiful annuals for garden decoration or for cutting. The flowers are exquisite in texture and color, are free and long-blooming, borne in long spikes. The plants are of easy culture, and will grow in almost any sunny bed. Sown in Autumn they bloom well during Spring and Summer; sown in Spring they bloom in Summer and Autumn. Sow where plants are to bloom and thin. We offer only choice seeds of best varieties with a wealth of new colors, longer flowering spikes and full double florets.



1109—Larkspur Giant Imperial Pink Perfection

## NEW GIANT IMPERIAL

The Giant Imperial Larkspurs, 4-5 ft.; with base branching, upright growth and long delphinium-like spikes of double, closely spaced florets, are marvelous in beauty and continuously popular.

1099—**\*BLUE BELL.** Beautiful azure blue, sky blue.

1103—**\*CORAL KING.** Blush pink with suffusion of coral which deepens with age.

1104—**\*DAZZLER.** Rich scarlet shaded cinnamon. A pleasing different and worthwhile color.

1106—**\*LILAC KING, Novelty.** An excellent new addition to the Giant Imperial type. Early flowering, base branching habit and exquisite Lilac lavender color. One of the finest.

1107—**\*LOS ANGELES IMPROVED.** Salmon rose.

1109—**\*PINK KING.** One of the earliest flowering of them all. Closely spaced full double 2 in. florets of lovely soft vibrant rose color.

1110—**\*PINK PERFECTION.** A lovely "up to date" Larkspur. Basal branching 24 in. spikes are closely spaced with 2 inch florets of rounded broad petals in a luscious shade of light pink and salmon blend. Magnificent.

1111—**\*ROSALIND.** Rose suffused salmon.

1112—**\*ROSE KING.** Huge, rich, deep rose florets. New, omitted last year due to seed shortage.

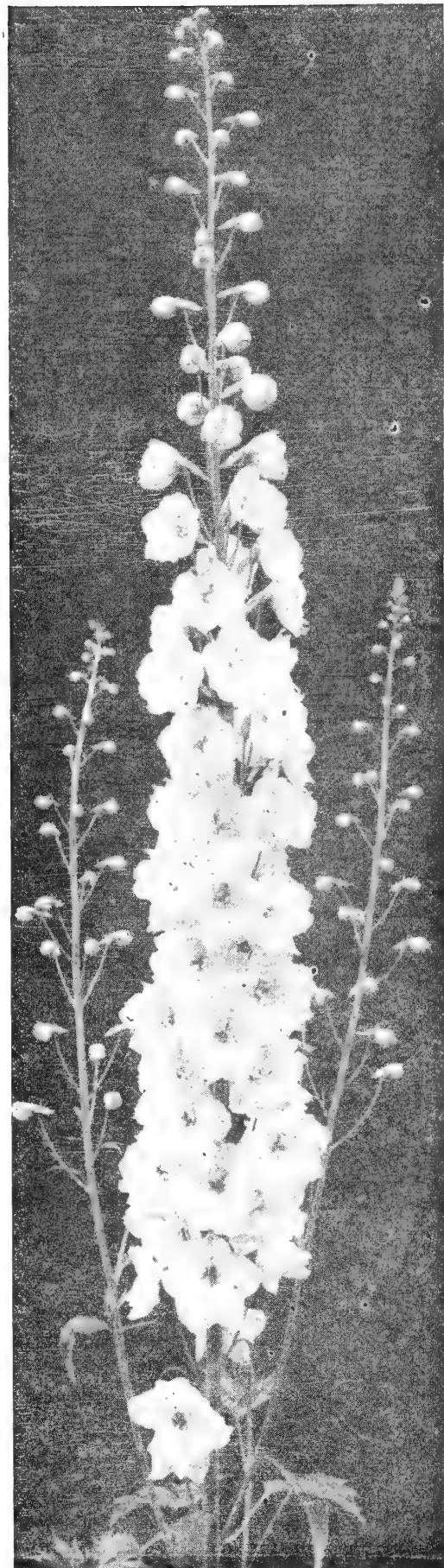
1113—**\*SWEET LAVENDER.** Light lavender blue.

1114—**\*WHITE KING.** The outstanding white Larkspur of the decade. Flowers glistening pure white with rounded petals; the florets are extremely large, fully double, evenly and closely spaced upon fine cutting spike. Early.

1115—**SPECIAL IMPERIAL GIANT MIXTURE.** Pkt. 10c; 1/4 oz. 35c; oz. \$1.20.

**GIANT IMPERIAL COLLECTION 074**

Six 10c packets starred (\*) above for only 50c. **COLLECTION 073.** One 10c pkt. each of Lilac King, Pink King, White King for only 25c.



Delphinium Pacific Giants GALAHAD

## LARKSPUR COCKADE TYPE

4 ft. ha. Tall symmetrical plants, bearing long branches of full double florets. Fine to cut.

1100—**BLUE**; 1102—**CINNABAR**, rose red; 1123—**WHITE**. 1122—**COCKADE TYPE MIXED COLORS.**

1098—**EMPRESS—SEMI-DWARF MIXED.**

A new type. Bushy, semi-dwarf (33 in. tall) plants which require no support for their heavy trusses. Flowers fully double. Fine for border or cutting.

## STOCK FLOWERED LARKSPUR

Tall 3 ft. plants are well branched and spikes are covered with beautiful double florets, similar to that of Double Stock.

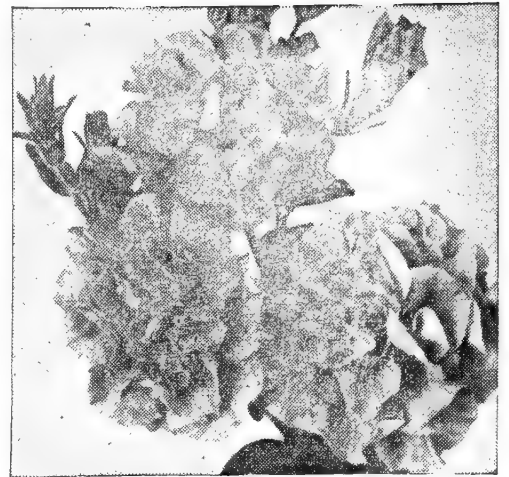
1119—**COMPLETE MIXTURE.** Stock flowered Larkspur.



1561—Petunia, Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower



Glorious All Double



Petunia, Aldouble America

## Thrill to the Lively Beauty of Fine PETUNIAS

**The All Purpose Flower:** For lovely beds, attractive borders, cutting, charming porch boxes, winter pot plants.  
**A Type and color to please every taste:** All Doubles, Giant ruffled singles, Plain edged giants, Small prolific singles. Pink, yellow, red, rose, purple, lavender, blue, white. Dwarf or tall, spreading or compact.

Petunias stand pre-eminent as a hardy, beautiful all-purpose flowering plant. Readily started from seed, they soon come into bloom, becoming a glowing mass of exquisite, showy, and deliciously fragrant flowers, in bloom from early summer until frost. They may be started in fall or early winter indoors to make blooming window plants for late winter and very early spring. *Don't omit these beauties from your list.*

### GIANT DOUBLE PETUNIAS Now in Complete Color Range

With the Return of the foreign-grown All Double Glorious Strain, which has not been available since 1943, and with the American-Grown All American All Doubles introduced in the past few years, we are glad to offer again a complete color range in Double Petunias. The seed are necessarily very expensive due to the fact that they have to be carefully hand pollinated, and there is real art and scientific knowledge required to produce seed which will give consistently Double flowers. The seed are smaller and the

seedlings weaker than the Single kinds, so require more care in starting. Soil should be sterilized by pouring boiling water thru it twenty-four hours before planting, and the little seeds planted on the surface of the soil. Then follow directions on pg. 6 and 7 of the "Gardener's Handbook" sent free with your order. The seeds are very tiny, and the 25c packets contain only a few seeds as noted in the descriptions. We suggest that you obtain the larger packets, but list the 25c packets in keeping with our price policy.

### ALL DOUBLE PETUNIA

#### "GLORIOUS"

#### Dwarf—Giant Fringed—Large Sized

Plants dwarf compact, true and uniform. Very fine for borders, beds or pot plants. The flowers are large 3-5" in diameter, and so frilled and fluted and full, that they appear as great fluffy balls. The most fully double of all Petunias. Seed supply is very limited so order early. We are pleased to be able to offer the following separate colors and mixture.

1615—PURPLE.

1616—ROSE.

1617—WHITE.

Separate colors: Pkt. (15 seeds) 25c; 100 seeds \$1.00.

1618—COMPLETE MIXTURE of Salmon, Orchid and above three colors. Pkt. (20 seeds) 25c; 100 seeds 90c.

### DOUBLE STRAINS

1568—PARK'S SUPER GIANT DOUBLE AND FRINGED MIXED. This is a magnificent strain but does not come 100% double. Flowers are similar to the Glorious All Double Pictured above. Seeds are less expensive than the All Doubles. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.

1569—GRANDIFLORA FL. PL. Extra choice large flowered double mixed. A strain imported from Holland where it is grown for us by Sluis Bros. Very varied color range, many types of flowers. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.  
 COLLECTION 028—5 Packets—One 25c packet of each American Double Petunia listed at right for \$1.00.

### AMERICAN ALL DOUBLES

1566—AMERICA—All American Silver Medal Uniform, compact plants about 1 ft. high, with 18" spread. Bears Carnation type flowers of medium size 2" across of fresh rose-pink. Blooms from June until frost. Pkt. 40 seeds 25c; 100 seeds 50c.

1567—COLOSSAL SHADES OF ROSE. Silver medal winner. The largest of the all doubles. Flowers often 5" across are 100% double in varying forms, plain edged, frilled, curled, and varying in color from light salmon-pink to deep rose. Pkt. (15 seeds) 25c; 100 seeds \$1.00.

1562—ROSE MARIE. Bronze medal. The plants are dwarf and very free blooming. Flowers are a delightful rose-pink shade, 3" and more across. Very fine for beds or borders, and good for cutting. Pkt. (10 seeds) 25c; 100 seeds \$1.50.

1561—MRS. DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER. Silver Medal winner. Flowers are soft mid-salmon 2 3/4 inches across. Plants are low and spreading, bushy and of good habit. Height about 16", spread about 30". Uniform in color and doubleness. Excellent for bedding or borders. Pkt. (10 seeds) 25c; 100 seeds \$2.00.

1563—CANADIAN ALL DOUBLE. A distinctly superior strain, producing 100% double flowers with quite dwarf, compact habit. While the flowers are not quite so full petalled as the Glorious All Doubles, the size of the flowers and the uniform dwarf habit make this an ideal strain for bedding or pot plants.

In our trials last summer it was outstanding among the doubles. The very finest one for beds, and in bloom from June until frost. This strain contains shades of pink and rose, salmon and white. Pkt. (25 seeds) 25c; 100 seeds 75c.

## THE LARGEST OF ALL PETUNIAS

### GIANTS OF CALIFORNIA

Wide open flowers 4-6 in. across, of the most brilliant coloring are produced in profusion. The plants are spreading and make delightful borders or beds, and their large flowers adorn the best of window gardens. 1593—GLAMOUR. An exquisite bright salmon pink with contrasting yet blending golden center. A.A. 1942.

1594—SALMON-ROSE SHADES. Contains only choicest salmon-rose colored plants. 1595—Complete Mixture. Giants of Calif.

### DWARF GIANTS OF CALIFORNIA

1581—RAMONA STRAIN. Dwarf, compact in growth, these fine plants will begin to bloom when hardly 4 in. high. They are finest as a dwarf edging or in pots for giant specimen blooms.

1580—DEEP ROSE. Highly delectable deep rose shade. Dwarf and compact with mammoth ruffled flowers.

### THE RUFFLED GIANTS

Giant flowers with large veined throats and beautifully frilled petals, borne on sturdy strong growing plants.

1643—RUFFLED MONSTERS. Half dwarf type; erect, robust habit. Flowers very large and ruffled, with shallow open throats.

1583—MARTHA WASHINGTON. A fancy compact dwarf Petunia 9" high, forming a perfect round mound of giant 3" flowers, deep and well ruffled. Color—blush pink deepening to dark violet in the deep throat. Pkt. 25c.

1645—LITTLE GIANTS MIXED. 8-10 in. Neat, compact, erect, for bedding or pots. Medium size flowers well ruffled with deep throats. Colors crimson to white. Pkt. 25c.

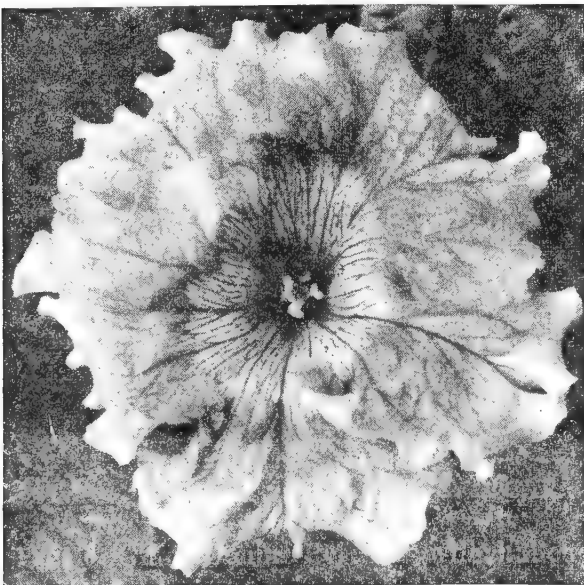
1586—COMPLETE MIXTURE OF RUFFLED GIANTS.



### 1644—SUPER FLUFFY RUFFLES

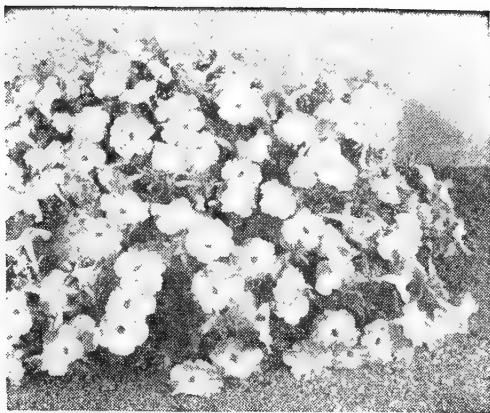
Pictured in color on back cover.

This is a well balanced mixture of pink, white, salmon, deep-rose, crimson and light blue. Outstanding in beauty, it is so ruffled and frilled that the flowers appear to be double. A very special strain which is superior to all other ruffled varieties. Try a packet. You will be well pleased. Pkt. 10c; 100 seeds 25c.



Petunia Giants of Calif. Glamour. Pkt. 10c.





Petunia Dwarf Bedding Bright Eyes  
**DWARF COMPACT PETUNIAS**

**THE PERFECT BORDER.**

(Hybrid Nana Compacta) ha, or hhp. 1 ft.

Plants are dwarf and compact, 10-12" high and form round, mound-like plants which suits them well to the border. Very free flowering, the plants are covered with bloom from early summer until frost. The flowers are of medium size 1½-2" in diameter. This is the best type for borders, edgings for taller plants. They also make shapely pot plants or window box subjects.

1621—**BRIGHT EYES**. (A.A. '46). A gay blanket of rosy pink, white throated flowers cover the dwarf 9 in. plant all season. Fine for low borders or edging.

1602—**BRILLIANT ROSE**. A brighter Rosy Morn. 1620—**BLUE VIOLET**. (New). A good deep violet color. The flower has unusual substance.

1622—**CELESTIAL ROSE**. Glowing deep rose.

1623—**\*CREAM STAR**. Silver Medal 1940. 2½ in. pointed star-like flowers of soft creamy white.

1582—**\*CHEERFUL**. 12 in. Compact rounded plants. Flowers, clear pink salmon suffused.

1624—**\*FIRST LADY** (New). A.A. '41. Large 2½ inch flowers of pleasing clear light bluish pink.

1619—**GLOWING ROSE**. The intense brilliance of this new Petunia makes it the most startling of all the dwarf bedding varieties. Individual flowers are much larger, and plants are even and do not become unshapely. It commences to bloom about 1 month earlier than other varieties and produces a profusion of intense glowing rose flowers throughout the season until frost. Pkt. 25c.

1625—**HOLLYWOOD STAR**. (Silver Medal '39). Five pointed star-shaped; rich rose in color.

1626—**PEACH RED**. Unique distinct new color of salmon cerise 2 in. fls. borne a ft. high. (A.A.)

1627—**ROSE OF HEAVEN**. Select strain; rose pink.

1628—**\*ROSY MORN IMPROVED**. Most popular of this group. Brilliant rose with a broad white throat.

1629—**\*SILVERY BLUE**. (Heavenly Blue). Light cambridge sky blue. A delightful and unusual color.

1630—**SNOW QUEEN**. Beautiful glistening pure white.

1584—**VELVET BALL**. Compact round 8 in. plants are smothered in 2½ in. flaming velvet flowers.

1631—**\*WHITE PERFECTION**. A.A. 1939. One of the best white petunias in existence. Abundant 2 in. snow white flowers, compact plants.

1652—**FANCY BLOTCHED AND STRIPED MIXED**. An unusual blending of the brightest and most contrasting blotched and striped flowers.

1633—**COMPLETE MIXTURE**. Hyb. Nana Compacta.

**COLLECTION 029**. Six starred (\*) varieties Hybrid Compacta Petunia. 60c value for 50c.

**BALCONY—Large Flowered Bedding**

(Pendula) ha, or hhp. 1½ ft. This is the strongest growing of all Petunias, and succeeds under the most trying conditions.

Habit is trailing with long branches which are covered with bloom. Flowers are larger than the Hybrid Bedding type 2½-3" across. This type should be used for mass effect in beds, and the pendulous habit suits it ideally to hanging baskets or porch boxes.

1571—**BLACK PRINCE**. Rich deep velvety mahogany red with beautiful dark throat. Luxuriant.

1572—**ROYAL BLUE**. Large, deep velvety blue.

1573—**SNOW STORM**. One of the finest whites in Petunias.

1574—**STAR OF CALIF.** Bright crimson, white star.

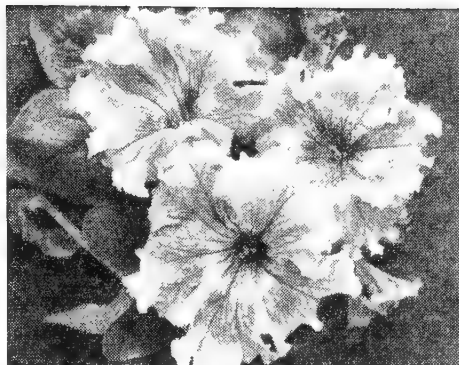
1575—**COMPLETE MIXTURE** of Balcony Petunias.

**FLOWERS A PLEASURE**

Geo. W. Park Seed Co. Wauconda, Wash. Sept. 25, 1947

I have had so much pleasure in the flowers that I have raised from your seeds. Everybody exclaims about them. Thank you.

Yours very truly,  
MRS. RALPH J. EVELETH



Petunia Giant Fringed Theodosia  
**GIANT FRINGED**

(Hybrida Grandiflora Fimbriata 12-16". The flowers of well grown plants of this type will average 4-6" across and have a charm all their own due to the attractively fringed and frilled blooms. Fine for beds, borders, unexcelled for pots or window boxes.

1587—**DAINTY LADY**. New Petunia in a distinct color. The semidwarf compact plants bear delicately fringed golden yellow flowers.

1590—**VIOLACEA**. (Ocean Blue). A giant flower of deep velvety blue borne on good stems.

1591—**WHITE BEAUTY**. A pure white beauty with delightfully frilled and ruffled edges.

1589—**THEODOSIA. IMPROVED**. Bright rosy pink with blending golden center.

1592—**COMPLETE MIXTURE** of Fringed Single.

**GIANT FLOWERED—Plain edged.**

(Hybrida grandiflora) ha, hhp, 12-16". Flowers are large 3-4" across, plain edged and deeply lobed. Stronger growing than the Ruffled and Fringed type and are excellent for beds, borders, pots, or cutting. Vigorous and spreading.

1646—**BURGUNDY**. Popular, rich wine red with lovely contrasting white throat.

1647—**ELK'S PRIDE**. Largest, darkest, best velvety purple.

1648—**PINK GLORY**. Extra large deep pink.

1649—**PURPLE ROBE**. A handsome plain-edged variety. Flowers deep purple edged silver.

1614—**VIOLACEA**. Rich deep violet. An outstanding color which shows off to good advantage planted behind a border of a dwarf variety such as White Perfection.

1650—**WHITE CLOUD**, 12 in. New; compact bushes covered with pure white blooms; beautiful.

1651—**COMPLETE MIXTURE** Giant Flowered.

**BEDDING PETUNIAS**

(Hybrida) ha, or hhp, 1½-2 ft. Stronger growing than the dwarf compact type with larger flowers 2-3" across. Habit of growth is more spreading and taller. Produces a mass of flowers from early summer until frost even under trying conditions. Its best use is in beds for mass effect, or in porch boxes.

1601—**BLUE BEE**. Striking and attractive in richest violet blue shade. A delightful color.

1604—**FLAMING VELVET**. Reselected. A.A. Gold Medal '36. Rich, brilliant velvety blood red fls.

1606—**GENERAL DODDS**. Very darkest red of all.

1606—**HOWARD'S STAR**. Handsome velvety-purple with pure white star in the center.

1609—**RADIANCE**. Silver Medal 1941. For richness and brilliance of color, this beautiful cerise flower with an undertone of salmon shading to gold at the throat is hard to beat.

1611—**TOPAZ ROSE**. Fiery velvety rose of a brilliancy seldom seen, with suffusion of gold and topaz rose in the throat. A.A. 1938.

1612—**WHITE KING**. The best white Hybrid.

1613—**SELECTED HYBRID BEDDING** Complete Mixture. Pkt. 10c; 1-32 oz. 25c.

**MINIATURE GEMS**

**FINEST FOR EDGING.**

1634—**BLUE BALL**. Deep violet blue.

1635—**IGLOO**. Compact best pure white.

1636—**PINK GEM**. Very compact and free-blooming. Soft pink flowers.

1638—**ROYAL GEM**. Crimson carmine with white throat to make it more intense.

1637—**ROSE GEM**. Rich deep rose.

1639—**VELVET BALL**. Deep velvety crimson.

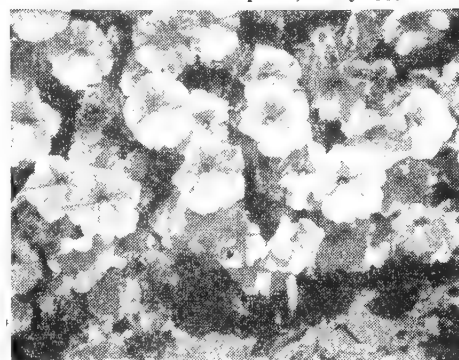
1640—**VIOLET GEM**. True miniature in plant and flowers. 6 in. plants with dark green foliage, smothered in rich violet blue 1½ in. flowers.

1642—**MINIATURE MIXED**. Complete mixture.

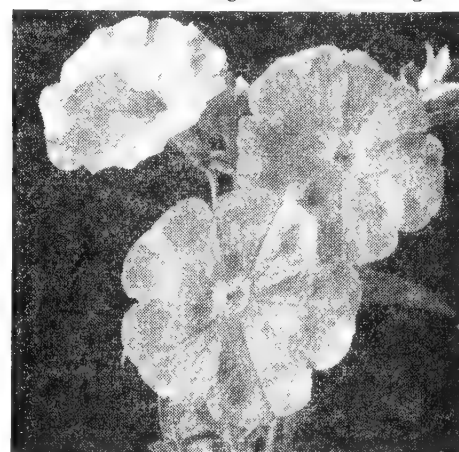
**PETUNIA CULTURE**. This is covered more fully on page 16 of "The Gardener's Handbook" sent free with your order. We treat all seeds of Petunias with Semesan to help prevent "damping off" which together with covering too deeply causes more failures than anything else. The seed may be sown indoors about 8 weeks before your usual outdoor planting time to give you blooming plants in early June, and because the seed are small should be sown in boxes and transplanted even when late planting is practiced. Petunias like a well drained, good garden soil, and full sun. They should not be planted in shade or where soil is extremely rich.



Petunia Nana Compacta, Rosy Morn



**BALCONY—Large Flowered Bedding**



Petunia (Hybrida) Topaz Rose



Rose Gem

**MINIATURE GEMS**

Plants are neat, dwarf and compact in form and covered with a profusion of bloom.

**NEW DWARF RUFFLED PETUNIA**

**1598—"GARDEN GIANTS"**

The outstanding feature of this new variety is its satisfactory plant growth. The plants uniformly develop into well-rounded mounds 12-15" high. They start flowering when extremely small, and continue their gorgeous display all through the summer, holding their size and ruffling even under adverse conditions of heat and dryness. Because of its uniformity and continuous blooming, it is by far the best variety of Giant Ruffled Petunias for borders we have ever seen. Includes a wide variety of bright color combinations. Pkt. 25c.

Easily grown  
Blooms all summer

# PARK'S GIANT ZINNIAS

Fine cut flowers

## MAMMOTH DAHLIA FLOWERED ZINNIAS MIXED



ZINNIA  
LUTHER BURBANK

### 2237—LUTHER BURBANK.

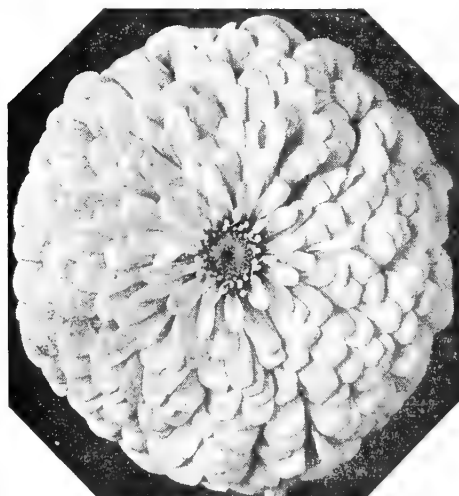
So named because the initial development work in creating this Giant Zinnia was done by Luther Burbank. It is being introduced just one year in advance of the centennial of Burbank's birth. The flowers are even larger than the Giant Dahlia Flowered and are distinguished because of their full range of pastel colors. Don't miss this fine new Zinnia. Pkt. 25c.

## CALIFORNIA GIANTS

3-4 ft. tall—Giant flowers. Taller than the Dahlia flowered type, with flowers just as large 5-6" in diameter. The overlapping petals are loosely placed and the flowers are flattened, being only about 1 inch in depth.

- 2151—DAFFODIL QUEEN. Canary yellow.
- 2152—ENCHANTRESS. Light rose, deep center.
- 2153—GOLDEN QUEEN. Bright golden orange.
- 2154—LAVENDER QUEEN. Deep rosy-lavender.
- 2155—MISS WILLMOTT. Delightful soft pink.
- 2156—ROSE QUEEN. Striking deep rose.
- 2157—SALMON QUEEN. Lovely salmon-rose.
- 2158—SCARLET QUEEN. Gorgeous deep scarlet.
- 2159—SNOW QUEEN. Best white Zinnia.
- 2160—CALIFORNIA GIANTS MIXED.

COLLECTION 025—9 Pkts. above—75c.



Zinnia, California Giants Pkt. 10c.

### SUPER CROWN O' GOLD

2230 —PASTEL TINTS. The "most wonderful new Zinnia to date." Husky plants bear enormous, long-stemmed flowers of entrancing soft pastel tints underlaid with rich gold, in prodigious profusion.

### 2233—SOUTH AFRICAN GIANTS MIXED.

This is the finest strain of giants ever produced. Flowers are of perfect form and multi-varied vivid colors, and of gigantic proportions. We have imported this seed especially for your pleasure. Order early for supply is short. Pkt. 25c.

### 2197—DAVID BURPEE ZINNIAS.

New and different. The very large flowers are made up of curled, quilled chrysanthemum-like petals and the shades and tones from soft cream, chamois, buff, apricot, burnt orange, rose and peach, with some solid colors and some a combination of colors.

### 2212—Howard's Crested

Exceptional Novelty, surpassing in size, form and beauty the popular Scabious flowered varieties. 4-5 in. flowers with full cushioned centers surrounded by broad guard petals in all the colors and shades. A gorgeous array. 50% true to type.

2211—HARMONY  
MIXED. (Scabious  
flowered)



2212—Zinnia Howard's Crested  
Pkt. 10c

## MAMMOTH DAHLIA TYPE

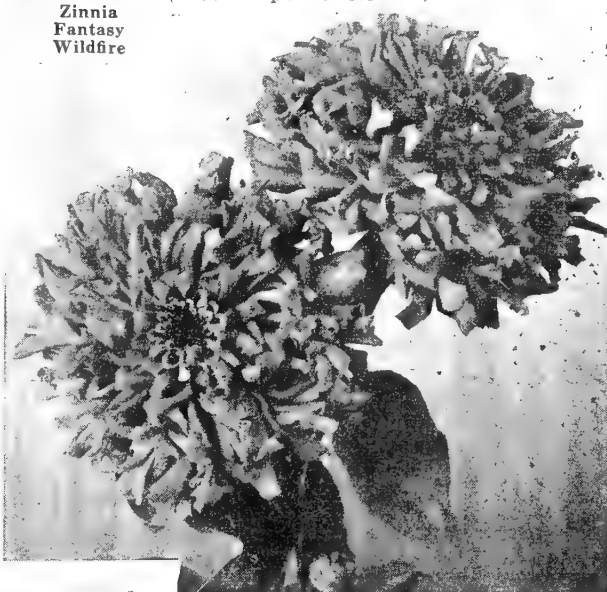
Zinnias hha, 2-3 ft.

Dahlia Flowered Zinnias are most popular due to their great size (a well grown flower is often 6 in. across and 4 inches deep), and their fine form which resembles the Show Dahlias with broad petals, closely imbricated, seemingly piled one upon the other.

- 2164—ATTRACTION. Brick red.
- 2166—BUTTERCUP. New bright yellow.
- 2167—\*CANARY BIRD. A delicate shade of primrose, very large and holds its color well.
- 2170—\*CRIMSON MONARCH. Largest and best red, flowers often 8 in. across; freely borne.
- 2171—DREAM. A beautiful shade of soft lavender-blue, turning to purple as the flower ages.
- 2172—ELDORADO. Charming shade of rose on salmon.
- 2173—\*EXQUISITE. A most pleasing shade of Tyrian rose, deepening towards the center; huge.
- 2174—GOLDEN DAWN. Enormous golden.
- 2175—\*GOLDEN STATE. Yellow in the bud, turning to vivid orange when in full bloom.
- 2176—ILLUMINATION. Brilliant deep rose.
- 2177—LUMINOSA. Bright deep pink suffused salmon.
- 2178—\*METEOR. Rich glowing red, suggesting the deep toned shade of velvet; excellent; lovely.
- 2179 OLD ROSE. A fascinating and distinct color; extra large and beautiful flower.
- 2180 ORIOLE. Immense orange and gold flower, changing slightly as it ages, but at all times very pretty.
- 2181—\*POLAR BEAR. Immense, pure white, the best white yet found in Zinnias, true Dahlia form.
- 2182—\*PURPLE PRINCE. Rich deep purple.
- 2183—ROYAL PURPLE. (A.A.) Truly kingly in its rich, deep robe of purple. Uniform 3 ft. plants, large, fully double flowers.
- 2186—WILL ROGERS. (New). The loveliest and most brilliant scarlet red. A worthy addition.
- 024—COLLECTION OFFER. One packet each of the six starred (\*) varieties above, value 60c for 50c.
- 2189—PARK'S UNEXCELLED MIXTURE. A specially prepared mixture of the choicest colors.
- 2188—PASTEL DAHLIA - FLOWERED MIXTURE. For a very choice blend, we offer a marvelous mixture of delicate shades; light pinks, creams, lavenders and whites.

For a beautiful cut flower combination use **Crimson Monarch—10c** and **Polar Bear—10c**. (Both 10c packets for 15c.)

Zinnia  
Fantasy  
Wildfire



## ZINNIA FANTASY

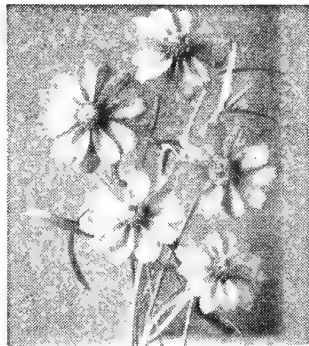
Unique and beautifully curled and interlaced, the Fantasy Zinnias are new and distinctive.

- 2198—GOLD DUST. Soft, rich light golden orange.
- 2200—PINK FRILLS. Soft pastel flesh pink.
- 2201—ROSALIE. Lovely bright rose flowers.
- 2203—WHITE LIGHT. Pure white. 1939 A.A.
- 2202—STAR DUST. Deep rich gleaming gold.
- 2204—WILDFIRE. Dazzling scarlet.
- 2199—MELODY. A distinctive new color not only for Fantasy Group but for Zinnias as a whole. Rich Orchid-lavender, shaggy and informal.
- 2234—PASTEL FANTASY MIXTURE.
- 2205—FANTASY COMPLETE MIXTURE.
- COLLECTION 026. Seven packets—One each of above Fantasy varieties for 60c.

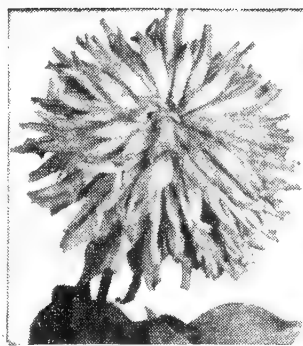




Plant of Zinnia Lilliput



2223—**LINEARIS**, 8 in. A beautiful window box, border or edging plant. The myriads of golden orange flowers (each petal with a lemon stripe) smother the compact plant. Comes into bloom in six weeks and continues until frost. Very drought resistant.



2150—**ZINNIA Cactus Flowered Giants**. Flowers are informal and make a gorgeous table decoration. Its long petals are quilled, curled and pointed with no center showing. Flowers 4 in. across and 2 in. deep, include a wide range of colors.



Plant of Zinnia Pumila Dwarf Double

## SMALL FLOWERED

**LILLIPUT**, Button-flowered, 1 ft. Branching plants, small double flowers; new and beautiful; fine for cutting. Known as Gem Zinnias. In following colors:

2214—Canary; 2216—Pink; 2217—Purple; 2218—Salmon; 2219—Scarlet; 2220—White; 2222—Mixed.

2213—**LILLIPUT BLACK RUBY** (1941 A. A. Bronze Medal), 2 ft. Velvety rich blackish maroon 1-1½ in. flowers, long straight stems.

2215—**LILLIPUT DAINTY GEM**. Gay, colorful and intriguing bi-color. Blooms are bright rose pink at the center and lighter flesh pink at the rim.

2221—**PASTEL LILLIPUT MIXTURE**. These delightfully small Zinnias are in lovely soft shades of apricot, peach, creamy yellow, shell-pink, delicate salmon, light rose and orchid. The small symmetrical flowers in this specially prepared mixture will make an attractive decoration.

2222—**UNEXCELLED LILLIPUT MIXTURE** contains all of the button-flowered types and colors.

## BEDDING ZINNIAS

2206—**GAILLARDIA-FLOWERED** (Navajo). A fine mixture, the flowers resemble a Picta Double Gaillardia in form; double and semi-double.

2226—**RED RIDING HOOD** (Gracillima). Free flowering miniature of deep scarlet. Brilliant bedder and exquisite for table decoration.

1830—**SANVITALIA PROCUMBENS** (Creeping Zinnia). See page 23.

2208—**HAAGEANA DOUBLE PERFECTION** (Mexican), 1 ft. Charming long-stemmed small flowers in brilliant display. Lovely for beds.

## BABY ZINNIAS

**CUPID**, 1 ft. An excellent and dainty table decoration. Compact plants bear a rich variety of small button-like flowers. Splendid for border or rockery. We offer the following colors:

2161—Snowdrop; 2162—Tiny Tim, Scarlet; 2163—Mixed.

2232—**TOM THUMB GEM**. Very dwarf 4 to 6 in. plants covered with tiny button flowers in a wide color range. Excellent for pot or border.

## CUT AND COME AGAIN

**ELEGANS PUMILA DWARF DOUBLE** (1½ to 2 ft.) Flowers of medium size (2½ in.), well rounded and produced in abundance on long stems; ideal for cutting. Compact, well branched plants flower from midsummer till frost. Produce an abundance of long-keeping cut flowers to brighten the house. Worthy of their popularity. We offer the following colors:

2191—Orange Golden; 2193—Scarlet; 2192—Salmon Rose; 2194—Snowball; 2195—Spun Gold; 2196—Finest Mixed.

2225—**SUNSHINE TINTS**. Rich pastel shades.

2235—**COMPLETE MIXTURE OF ALL TYPES WE LIST**. A wealth of Zinnias for 10c.

## ZINNIA CULTURE

Zinnias are of easiest culture. For an extra early start, seeds may be sown in flats and transplanted; however, they grow more sturdily if sown in the bed where they are to stand after all danger of frost has passed. When plants are a few inches high, keep well cultivated and give thorough soaking by the trench method every two weeks.

# The Best SWEETPEAS

The Sweet Pea has all the good qualities of a perfect annual for general cultivation. It is easy of culture, growing in almost any soil and sunny situation, begins to bloom when small and, if freely cut, will continue for a long period. Flowers are rich and colorful, deliciously fragrant, and are freely borne on long stems. Excellent for cutting. **CULTURAL DIRECTIONS** pg. 9 "Gardener's Handbook."

## CHRISTMAS SPENCER—or Early Flowering.

Flowering a month earlier than the Giant Spencer type, this class has large waved flowers, long stems and many are fragrant. Because of the earlier flowering characteristic, these will flower over a much longer period before the heat of summer curtails them. Recommended for all sections where spring is late, for greenhouse culture, for winter flowering in the deep south. Pkt. 10c; 25c.

1963—**BRIDESMAID**. Silvery pink.

1965—**FRAGRANCE**. Best lavender.

1966—**GARDENIA**. Ruffled white.

1967—**GRENADIER**. Scarlet.

1968—**HOPE**. Pure white.

1971—**SHIRLEY TEMPLE**. Rose pink.

1976—**WAVES**. Ruffled mid-blue.

2001—**PATRICE MUNSEL**. Orange.

## 1977—SPECIAL MIXTURE CHRISTMAS SPENCER SWEET PEAS

In a grand mixture of choice named varieties, blended to give a balanced color collection. In bloom several weeks ahead of the Standard Spencers. The wonderfully large, well formed flowers are produced on long sprays in pleasing and beautiful shades and tones. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c; 1 oz. 45c; ¼ lb. \$1.35.

## GIANT STANDARD SPENCER SWEET PEAS

This well known type blooms later than the Christmas Spencers, but is more vigorous and withstands heat. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 35c; ¼ lb. 85c.

1978—**BONNIE BRIAR**. Rose pink.

1979—**CAPRI**. Clear silvery blue.

1980—**CRONY**. Soft golden salmon.

1983—**GIGANTIC**. Large white.

1984—**GOLDEN DRAGON**. Orange.

1986—**LOCH LOMOND**. Mahogany.

1987—**MAYFAIR**. Shell pink.

1990—**RED ROVER**. Dark crimson.

1993—**WINDSOR BLUE**. Mid-blue.

1994—**WHAT JOY**. Cream.

## 1995—SPECIAL MIXTURE GIANT SPENCERS

A carefully blended mixture of well balanced colors of all the latest and most desirable named varieties. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c; ¼ lb. 55c; 1 lb. \$2.00.

1998—**OLD FASHIONED SWEET SCENTED**. A complete mixture. More fragrant than modern types. Pkt. 10c.

## 1999—RUFFLED AND FRILLED MIXED

A specially prepared blend of all the best ruffled and frilled varieties in complete well balanced mixture. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c; 1 oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 75c.

## NEW HEAT RESISTANT SWEET PEAS

**That New Spring Flowering**  
More heat resistant than Christmas Spencer this new Sweet Pea comes into bloom just after the Early Type with a heavier growth and more abundant production of large flowers on long stems. Because of its heat resistant character this type has a longer period of bloom than the Earlys.

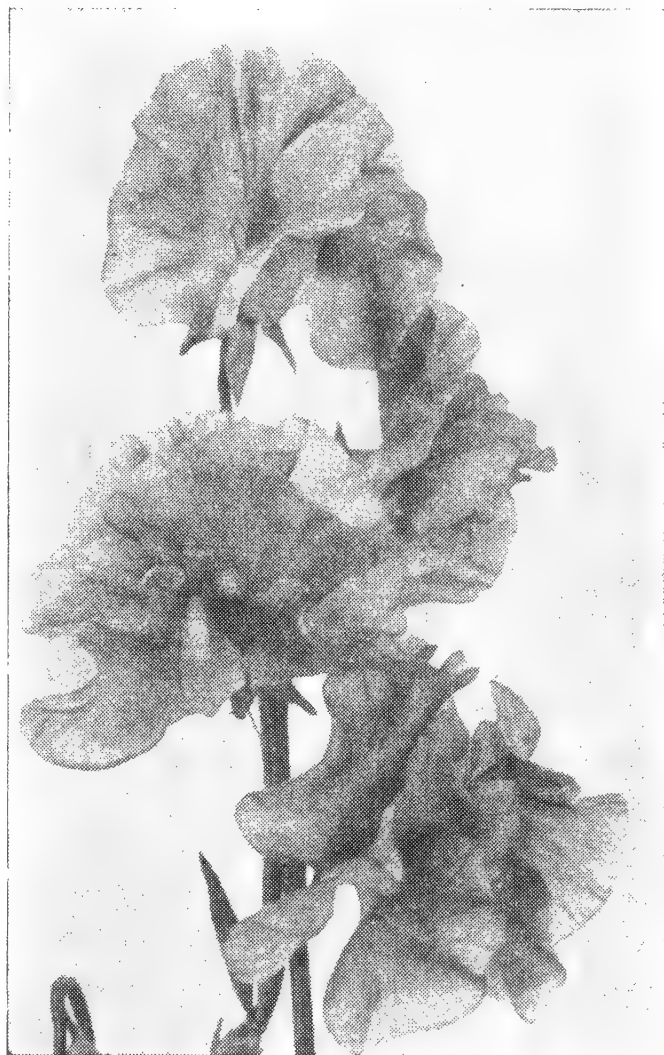
2000—**Mixed Blended Colors**. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c; ½ oz. 45c; 1 oz. 75c.

## DWARF SWEET PEAS

Wonderful plants for bedding or for borders.

1996—**CUPID SPENCER**. 6 in. Complete Special Mixture. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 25c; 1 oz. 40c.

2002 **CUTHBERTSON'S EARLY FLOWERING**. Very heat resistant, this fine new strain begins blooming earlier than the standard Spencer, and continues to bloom well into the summer when the heat is too much for other kinds. Flowers are as large as the Standard Spencer with fine long stems. This is the finest kind for use where summers are hot. Pkt. 10c; Large Pkt. 25c; ½ oz. 45c; oz. 75c; ¼ lb. \$2.00.

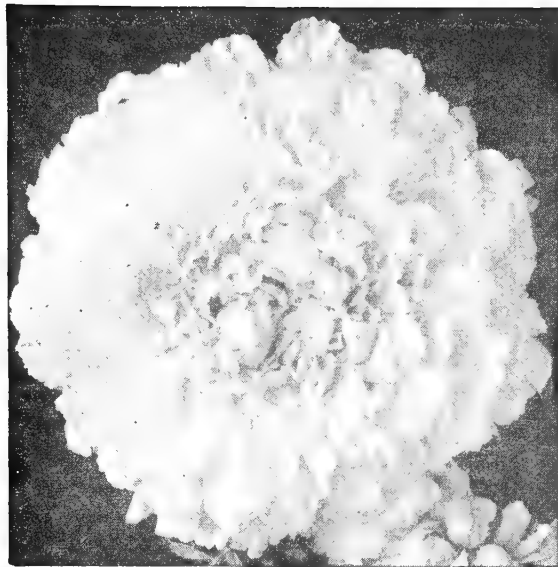


CUTHBERTSON'S Heat Resistant Sweet Peas

# MARIGOLDS <sup>of Merit</sup>

Dwarf or tall—Giant flowered or small like chrysanthemums, like a ball, single or double

Bloom All Summer

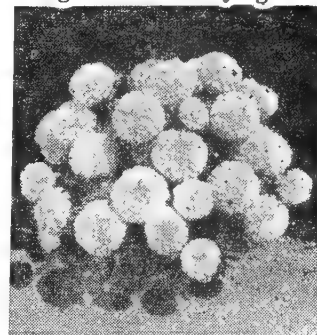


Gigantea—Full Double Mixed



Marigold Mammoth Mum. Pkt. 10c

Fine for beds or borders. Excellent to cut for arrangements. Easily grown



Gigantea, Pot O'Gold

## GIANT FLOWERED MARIGOLDS

### LARGEST OF ALL

1299—GIGANTEA FULL DOUBLE MIXED. Perfect in growth, beauty, form and size. Remarkable new, sweet-scented extremely large (5-6 in.) flowers on robust 2½ ft. plants. The colors range from cream, lemon, yellow to deep golden orange. 100% double.

1301—GIGANTEA SUNSET GIANTS. 3½ to 4 ft. A remarkable, extremely large, sweet scented flower on robust plants. Lovely shades from cream to deep orange. Flowers 5-7 in. across.

1300—GIGANTEA ORANGE SUNSET. 3 ft. Robust plants producing 6-8 branches, each bearing 3-6 large, fluffy, sweet-scented deep orange flowers. "Show variety."

### AFRICAN DOUBLE DWARF

1260—LITTLE GIANTS. 15 in. Compact plants bear 25-30 four in. flowers, yellow to orange.

1259—AFRICAN DOUBLE MIXED. Splendid blend. 100% double.

### TALL

1261—AUSTRALIAN GIANT or Grendon Tree. Giant 4½ ft. plants are robust in growth and throw large brownish-yellow flowers on long stems to cut.

### GIANT CARNATION FLOWERED

Well-known, loosely ruffled, broad petaled flower form. Branching plants.

1264—REAL GOLD (A. A.). Largest of all Carnation Marigolds. The strong long stems bear giant exhibition 4½ in. flowers, very deep, very double golden orange illumined with yellow. The fine 20 in. plants with their huge flowers are ideal for beds or borders and furnish magnificent bouquets.

1263—MAYLING. Named in honor of China's leading lady. Large, beautiful fluffy carnation flowered golden blooms. In odorless foliage group.

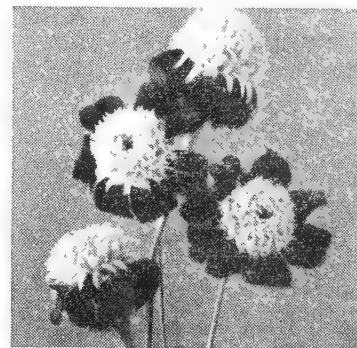
1266—YELLOW SUPREME. Gorgeous full double. Primrose yellow flowers of broad petaled Carnation type. Foliage odorless.

1265—VICTORY. Grand new long stemmed 3 in. Carnation type golden flowers with charmingly frilled petals. Plants are vigorous and of uniform upright growth making a dashing display.

1258—MIXED CARNATION FLOWERED MARIGOLDS.

1207—PARK'S SPECIAL ODORLESS FOLIAGE MIXTURE. A select mixture of all the fine types and colors of odorless foliage varieties.

MARIGOLD CULTURE. Page 11, "Gardener's Handbook".



French Double Spotlight

### GIANT "MUM" FLWD.

1306—MISSION GIANTS. Extra early. The 18 in. vigorous plants are base branching, producing long stemmed large perfect ball flowers with fluffy incurved petals. A well balanced mixture of colors. Mixed.

1305—YELLOWSTONE. Yellow.

1269 MAMMOTH MUM. Largest and most beautiful of the Chrysanthemum (incurved) type yet produced. Bushy, erect 30 in. plants with long stemmed 4 in. lemon yellow flowers are colorful in the garden and wonderful for cutting.

1304—GOLDSMITH. 15 in. Long stemmed golden orange Chrysanthemum-like, fluffy.

1291—COMPLETE MIXTURE of Chrysanthemum Flowered.

### DWARF GIGANTEA

1274—POT O'GOLD. Dwarf 12 in. glowing counterpart of the famous Gigantea Sunset Giants, this splendid novelty Marigold has huge 4 in. flowers, full centered and 100% double, fragrant and a strikingly beautiful bright deep golden orange on 10 in. stems. "Truly a jewel found at rainbow's end."

1275—GYPSY JEWELS. Dwarf Gigantea. A wide range of brilliant shades of orange, yellow, primrose, etc. Plants like Pot O'Gold pictured with giant flrs. and dwarf symmetrical habit.

## MEDIUM AND SMALL FLOWERED

### DWARF CHRYSANTHEMUM FLOWERED

1272—GOLDEN BEDDER. Begins blooming very early. Chrysanthemum like golden orange flowers 3" across.

1302—HONEYCOMB. Odorless, honeycomb texture, orange.

1268—LIMELIGHT. The lightest in color of all Marigolds—very soft primrose yellow. Chrysanthemum like flowers 2½ in. across are borne on long stems of a vigorous 3½ ft. plant.

1271—EARLY SUNSHINE. Fine golden yellow.

1290—DWARF CHRYSANTHEMUM FLOWERED MIXED.

### FINEST FRENCH MARIGOLDS

1287—SUNKIST. 6-10" tall. Bright orange; Dwarf compact.

1283—BUTTERBALL. 6-10". Bright canary yellow flowers bloom from early summer until frost. Dwarf, uniform; fine for borders.

1286—SPOTLIGHT. Golden yellow with contrasting mahogany guard petals which "spotlight" the gold of the crest.

1309—SPRY. 9 in. high, 12 in. spread. Flowers 1½ in. in diam. with bright yellow crested center and mahogany red guard petals.

1280—SCARLET GLOW. 10 in. Companion to Spry for beds or borders. Bright scarlet double flowers in 10 weeks from seed.

1282—ALL DOUBLE BALL MIXED. Ball shaped flowers.

1276—STRIPED BEAUTY (Royal Scott). Gold with maroon.

1279—MAHOGANY (Robert Beist). Rich mahogany maroon.

1314—YELLOW PYGMY. (1940 Bronze Medal). Just right for edging or border, the 8 in. plants produce 1 in. double lemon yellow flrs.

1284—DWARF HARMONY HYBRIDS. 11 in. Full double, all colors.

1281—DWARF EARLY FRENCH DOUBLE MIXED.

1292—FLASH. 18 in. plants are produced in 10 weeks from seeding and produce a myriad of bright single flowers until frost. Color range from vivid red thru yellow and bronze. The earliest of all Marigolds.

1315—NAUGHTY MARIETTA. 12 in. (A. A. 1947). Dwarf Single French Marigold. Flowers 2-2½ in. in diameter are golden yellow and mahogany. Extremely showy for beds or borders.

1308—RED AND GOLD HYBRIDS. Hybrid cross between African and French types. Produces a gorgeous display of 2½ in. very double brilliant flowers.

1313—WILDFIRE. New single hybrids. Full range of colors and bizarre patterns and markings.

1303—IDABELLE FIRESTONE. New Double Hybrids. Fully double rich red flowers.

1289—CUPID. 6 in. Very dwarf and compact. Large (2½ in.) primrose yellow, chrysanthemum-like flowers completely cover the plant. Marvelous for edging.

1297—COMPLETE MIXTURE OF ALL FRENCH MARIGOLDS.

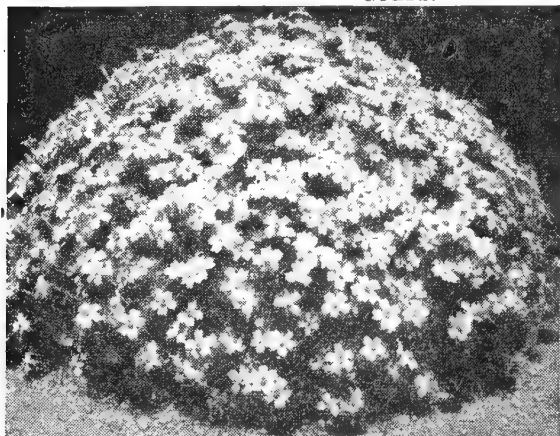
1316—ALL TYPES AND COLORS of Marigolds in complete, well balanced mixture. Pkt. 10c; 25c.



Naughty Marietta



Marigold Flash. Pkt. 10c



Tagetes Signata Pumila

Unexcelled for borders or edging. 6 in. Compact. Signet Marigolds are very dwarf, growing only about 6 inches high and are smothered with a profusion of flowers from early summer until frost.

1310—GNOME. Golden Yellow. 1311—LITTLE GIANT. Deep orange. 1312—MIXED COLORS.



# Easy to Grow, Quick to Bloom, Fine to Cut, Fragrant

## CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS—PART ONE

# ANNUALS and PERENNIALS

### Blooming the First Season

**Park's**  
"Always  
Dependable"

**ANNUAL FLOWERS** are those which grow, bloom, seed and die in one season. There are attractive annuals for every purpose. Some are fine for cutting, others for beds or borders, rock plants and climbers. We have listed in Part 1 the finest of all Annuals, and the perennials which may be treated as annuals in that they will bloom the first season from seed.

**HARDY FLOWERS** are those which may be sown in early spring as soon as the ground may be worked, or in fall to come up with the first breath of spring for earlier blooms. Hardy perennials and biennials may be planted in July or August and transplanted to permanent location about 1 month before frost where they live over with the protection of a mulch to give bloom in the spring. We think it best to sow perennials and biennials in the spring so that they can become better established before winter.

**HALF HARDY FLOWERS** listed with the symbol hh may be started early indoors for early bloom, or they may be planted outside when danger of frost is over. Half Hardy perennials need winter protection in the Northern states.

**PRICES: ALL SEEDS—Pkt. 10c; 11 for \$1.00; Giant Pkt. 25c; 11 for \$2.00.**  
**For larger quantity discount see page 1.**

#### KEY TO SYMBOLS

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| Ft. or In. denote the height of the plant in feet or inches. | C—Especially valuable for cutting.      |
| ha, hardy annual   | M—Prefers moist, well drained soil      |
| hha, half-hardy annual                                       | D—Will succeed in Dry or sandy soil     |
| hb, hardy biennial   | R—Fine for Rock Gardens                 |
| hhb, half hardy biennial                                     | S—Prefers or will succeed in semi-shade |
| hp, hardy perennial  | B—Fine for beds or borders.             |
| hhp, half hardy perennial                                    |   |

**COMPLETE CULTURAL DIRECTIONS WITH EVERY ORDER**



Ageratum, Blue Ball

#### AGERATUM—Floss Flower. (hha).

A multipurpose, ever-blooming flower. Ageratum. Is equally at home in semi-shade or full sun, and may be had in dwarf types for borders, edging, or rockery, and taller sorts for cutting. By potting a few plants in fall, you may enjoy the bright blooms in winter. Begins to bloom 3 months after sowing.

29—Princess Victoria Louise. 8". A lovely new bicolor, bright blue with white center.

30—BLUE BALL, 4-5 in. Plants are compact and growth is most uniform and even. Broad green foliage smothered with flowers of richest blue. The best dwarf blue.

34—FAIRY PINK, 5 in. Here is a delightful little flower that is pretty ALL THE TIME. From early summer until late frost Fairy Pink will enlighten your border with its delicate soft salmon rose pink flowers.

47—LITTLE DORRIT YELLOW. This is a yellow flower and is really an Ageratum. A fine new development. Don't miss this Novelty Pkt. 25c.

41—MIDGET BLUE, 3 in. (1940 Silver Medal winner). A true dwarf literally smothered with small blue flowers. Marvelous to plant in front of Ageratum Pink Fairy. Comes uniformly dwarf and true.

"49—Silver Star. 4." Silvery-grey star shaped flowers in great profusion.

44—PURPLE PERFECTION, 8 in. Compact plants covered with lovely deep purple bloom.

**TALL AGERATUM FOR CUTTING.** 20". 37—Blue— 38—White; 25A—Pink;

39—Mixed.

46—Complete Mixture of Ageratum.

#### 35—Golden Ageratum

It's really and truly a golden yellow, rich, deep, wide yellow clusters in fluffy effect. It is not though, truly an Ageratum, just one by courtesy, a step-in-law that enriches the family. Botanical-ly it is *Lonas indora*.

1—ABRONIA Umbellata Grandiflora, R, D, hha, 1 ft. Large-flowered Sand Verbena, Sweet lilac flrs; likes sun and sand, rockery, remove husks. ADONIS 21-Aestivalis, Floss Flower, hha, 1 ft. Rich red flat petals, fringed foliage; for beds. 57—ALONSOA, hha, 18 in. Red: pots, beds. ANAGALLIS Grandiflora Pimpernell, Poor Man's Weather Glass, Bhha, 6 in. 89-Mixed.

#### Star of the Desert

83—AMBERBOA MURICATA, 2 1-2 ft. ha. (Star of the Desert). A native of Morocco, this plant has narrow, deep cut leaves, and heads of fringed tyrian purple.



Cut Flower Garden Mixture

#### PARK'S GARDEN MIXTURES

##### 382—CALIFORNIA FLOWER GARDEN MIXTURE

Much in demand. We offer a very select mixture to give you a novel and entrancing surprise bed. Pkt. 10c.

##### 625—CUT-FLOWER GARDEN.

Hardy annuals making a showy bed and yielding cut-flowers throughout the season. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c.

##### 2135—WILD FLOWERS FOR SUN.

100 different and delightful Wild Flowers are in this blend. Many choice and rare things such as Shooting Stars, Gentians, etc. Pkt. 10c.

##### 2134—WILD FLOWERS FOR SHADE.

Woodland Wild Flowers bloom mostly in early and late spring. Included here are many rare things. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.

##### 1782—ROCK GARDEN PERENNIALS.

Mixed, embracing 50 finest, rockery varieties. Pkt. 10c.

##### 1781—ROCK GARDEN ANNUALS.

Mixed, embracing 50 finest rockery varieties. Pkt. 10c.

##### 2136—WINDOW GARDEN MIXTURE.

A carefully selected blend of the best seeds of plants easily grown indoors.

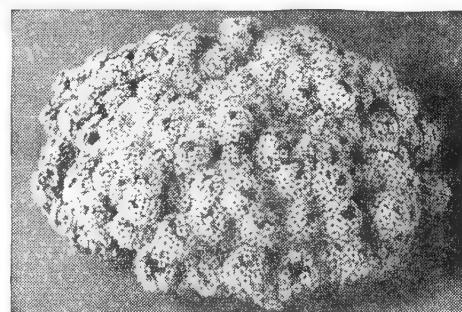
#### Park's Happy Surprise Packet

2400—For a glorious bed of "happy surprises" we have made up a fine packet containing all the flowers pictured and many others, for your garden and for bouquets for home decorations. Packets 5c; 10c and 25c.

573—ANNUAL CLIMBERS. Mixture of interesting vines. Pkt. 10c.

#### A REAL BARGAIN FOR YOU

05—GARDEN MIXTURE COLLECTION. Nine 10c Pkts. One each of above garden mixtures. Value 90c for only 65c.



Alyssum, Little Dorrit

#### SWEET ALYSSUM— (ha.), B, R.

An Everblooming Delight.

You will have "beginners-luck" with this easily grown and most satisfactory of plants for edgings, borders, beds, or indoor plants in winter. Plants grow quickly from seed and begin to bloom in early summer, continuing until frost.

##### 72—Compactum "Violet-Queen"

Ha, 5 in. Just see your walkway bordered evenly and perfectly with royally rich, deep violet, and you will have a picture of "VIOLET QUEEN." It is dwarf and compact in habit, neat and free flowering, deliciously sweet scented. One of the good things that every one should have.

65—MARITIMUM (Common Sweet), trailing, free flowering, lovely for border.

61—CARPET OF SNOW, Procumbens 2 1/2 in. Each plant is a compact mass of snow white flowers. Makes one of the finest beds.

68—SNOW CLOTH, Flat, compact, 2-3 in., white.

62—LILAC QUEEN, compact, erect, lovely lilac

63—LITTLE DORRIT, 5 in. (Improved Gem).

Erect, and dense, it begins to bloom when quite small, and continues free blooming all summer.

4 LITTLE GEM, 6 in. Just a little taller than Little Dorrit, and even more profuse in bloom.

67—PRIMROSE QUEEN. 4 in. Rich primrose yellow. Harmonizes well with "Violet Queen."

73—COMPLETE MIXTURE.

02. ALYSSUM COLLECTION. 3 Giant 25c packets; One each of Violet Queen, Little Dorrit and Primrose Queen; Value 75c for only 55c.

AMONG  
THE  
FINEST  
OF  
CUT  
FLOWERS

African  
Daisy



#### ARCTOTIS

Blooms from June until frost.

184—GRANDIS, ha, 2 ft. Handsome, easily grown, large flowered, long-stemmed; white, blue disk. 185—HYBRIDS, ha, 1 ft. Lovely garden flowers of the easiest culture; free-blooming in hottest sun; shades of cream, yellow, bronze, and red.

All of Park's Flower Seed are sent Postpaid.

Park's

# COLOSSAL SNAPDRAGONS

GIANT RUSTPROOF ANTIRRHINUM, hbb, C, S, M.

From  
Super  
Giants  
Mixed  
Pkt. 10c

## 142—TETRA SNAPS

Giant Ruffled Tetraploid Snapdragons Special Mixture. The largest flowered of all snapdragons, 2 to 2½ in. deep and 1¾ to 2½ in. wide, many distinctly and attractively ruffled. This mixture contains all the usual colors plus some new ones. All shades and variations of orange, bronze, yellow, orchid, scarlet, crimson, pinks, white, and other harmonious tone blendings. Sturdy plants are 2½ ft. tall and basal branching.

### NEW

## 139—BURPEE DOUBLE SNAP

The first giant, all double snapdragon ever grown from seed. Each floret has several small wavy petals protruding from the throat. Canary yellow with pink tube. 28 inches high. As easily-grown as ordinary Snapdragons. Pkt. 50 seeds for 50c.

## 143—SUPER-MAJESTIC

### MIXED

BASAL BRANCHING—Long Stems  
RUST RESISTANT—2-2½ ft.

This new type is base branching which greatly enhances its value for cutting. It is also dwarf enough to make a fine bed or border. Colors of brilliant red, copper orange, rose and shell pink in a balanced splendid mixture.

## 152—PARK'S DELUXE MIXED—RUST RESISTANT

An evenly balanced blend of popular colors, in all of the types from tall to dwarf. An excellent mixture. Pkt. 10c; Giant pkt. 25c.

03—SNAPDRAGON COLLECTION. Six 10c pkts. of Snapdragons your selection.

60¢ Value for only 45¢

## FOR BEDS and BORDERS

### NANUM GRANDIFLORUM—RUST RESISTANT

Popular Bedding Annuals, these husky, bushy plants grow only 1½ ft. tall and flower profusely. 125—SEMI-DWARF SPLENDID MIXTURE. A fine blend especially prepared. 500 seeds 10c. 153—TOM THUMB MAGIC CARPET. 6 in. Plants are creeping in habit and covered with many pleasing soft colors.



BALSAM Camellia Flowered

## EASY TO GROW BALSAM

### Touch-Me-Not or Lady Slipper

Among the most popular, beautiful and showy of the easy growing annuals are the "Touch-me-nots" coming in a great many colors, some pleasingly variegated. The flowers are large and as double as roses, waxy in texture, admirable in beds and borders, thriving in sun or shade in any rich soil, and doing well in pots or beds. Started in autumn, they bloom in the window in winter.

300—BALSAM CAMELLIA FLOWERED. 2 ft. This is perhaps the finest Balsam in cultivation. It is known as Camellia-flowered because its flowers are like Camellias in general form and appearance. Plants grow 2 ft. high, branch symmetrically, and become little trees covered with elegant bloom. Large double waxy flowers. Splendid Mixture.

298—BALSAM NEW FLOWERING BUSH DWARF MIXED. 1 ft. These bear their flowers on spikes above the foliage. They are desirable for beds and are also showy as pot plants. The flowers are fully double. ("Splendid mixture of colors.")

296—TORCH. Bright red rose Double Bush Type. 301—ROSE FLOWERED MIXTURE. Large, full double rose like flowers borne in profusion on a strong growing bushy plant.

297—BALSAM. All types mixed.

The flowers are very large, fragrant, of the most varied and exquisite colors and variegations, and borne on long spikes. They bloom continuously during summer and autumn and are largely used for summer beds and borders, as well as for growing in pots for winter-blooming. As cut-flowers they are fashionable, and last well in vases. The plants are so readily started from seeds, bloom so early the first season and are so easily grown under almost any condition that they merit a high place in every selection of choice annual flowers. Our mixtures are especially prepared and will please you.

## TALLEST OF ALL SUPER GIANTS OF CALIFORNIA

Maximum—Rust Resistant—2¾ ft.

The tallest of all Snapdragons, Super Giants tower to a height of 2¾ ft., bearing giant flowers, larger than any other type, on fine strong cutting stems. This variety is free blooming and entirely rust resistant. We recommend Super Giants of Calif. 126—ALASKA (Snowflake). Shimmering pure white. Large closely spaced florets on long spikes. 127—APPLE BLOSSOM. Rose with white tube. 128—CAMPFIRE. Pure luminous scarlet. 129—CANARY BIRD. Bright canary yellow. 131—PARK'S CRIMSON. Vivid bright crimson. 132—INDIAN SUMMER. Coppery orange scarlet. 133—LOVELINESS. Large, pure soft rose-pink flowers are well spaced upon unbranching bright green stems with broad foliage. It is not uncommon for a plant to produce 12-16 long strong spikes.

135—RED CROSS. The fine white tube flares into bright crimson at the "Dragon's mouth".

136—YELLOW GIANT. The largest and deepest and brightest yellow of all. Tall and fine.

137—MIXED. Complete Mixture. Super Giants. Pkt. 10c; Large pkt 25c; ¼ oz. 50c; ¼ oz. 85c; ½ oz. \$1.50.

## Semi-Tall Large Flowering MAJUS GRANDIFLORUM—RUST RESISTANT—2 Ft.

MAJUS GRANDIFLORUM grows 2 ft. tall and produces an abundance of long cutting spikes. We offer a complete collection of colors:

145—PADRE. Bright glowing crimson. New.

146—PINK GLORY. Giant deep salmon rose flowers in 15 in. clusters are borne on long 28 in. base branching spikes. A charming color addition to this Rust Resistant group.

147—REVEILLE. Majus Grand (Rust Resistant). 22 in. Deep luminous yellow.

148—ROSALIE (Majus Grandiflorum). An entirely new color of rich deep rose throughout.

149—SHASTA. Pure white.

151—MIXED. Tall large flowered Complete Mix.

138—VELVET GIANT. A. A. Bronze medal 1947. hbb, 2½ ft.

Tall base branching plants produce 6-8 spikes for cutting or garden display. Flowers are very large, crimson with velvety texture. A rich color. Pkt. 10c; Large pkt. 25c.

## SNAPDRAGON CULTURE

Sow seed outdoors when soil has become warm, or for earlier bloom may be had by starting the seed indoors six weeks before your regular outdoor planting time. Seed are sometimes tardy in starting, but grow rapidly once started. Snapdragons will do well in any good garden soil in full sun or semi-shade. The gorgeous flowers are freely produced from July until frost if withered blooms are kept picked off.

## Brilliant Foliage Plants AMARANTHUS

Easily grown in sunny location and poor soil for best brilliancy of foliage.

77—MOLTEN FIRE. 4 ft. Flaming red foliage.

79—TRICOLOR SPLENDENS. Joseph's Coat Improved. 3 ft. Richly variegated yellow, green and red, lovely.

80—Complete Special Mixture of Amaranthus.

## BLAZING STAR

303—BARTONIA AUREA (Blazing Star). ha, 2 ft. Large, showy golden flowers; likes sun and sandy soil. Extra fine.

## DESERT SUNRAY

501—BAILEYA MULTI-RADIATA, Desert Sunray, 1 ft. Novelty; charming flowers 1½ in. diam. Have a fine ruffle of many bright yellow rays. Thrives in drouth.

## A CUSTOMER FOR 40 YEARS

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April 21, 1947

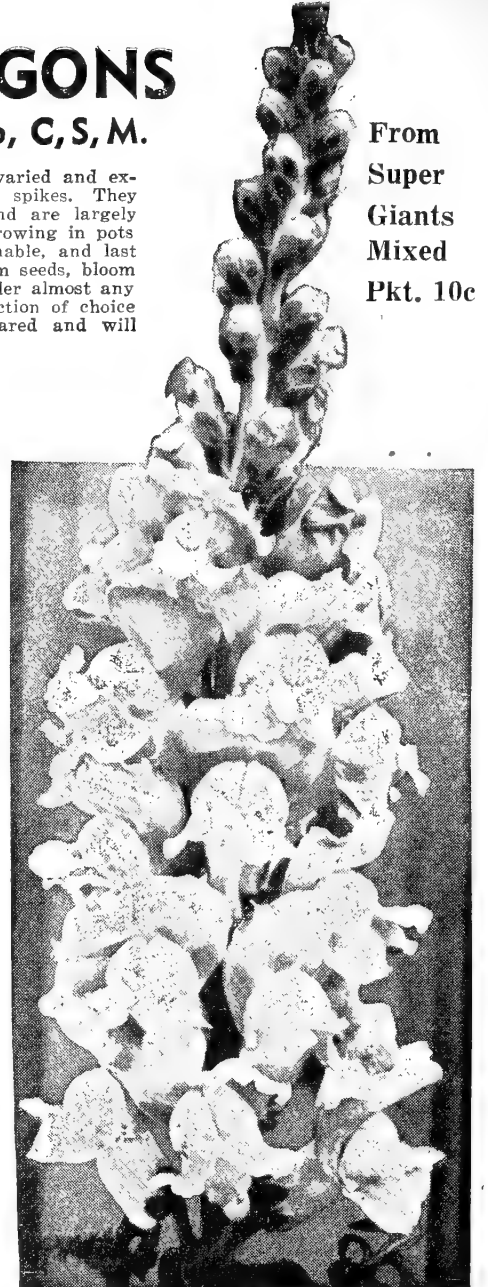
Gentlemen:

I am enclosing check for \$4.20 to pay for seeds, etc., on this order. Please send "Gardener's Handbook" on how to grow, as I am getting the children interested in flowers.

I have been a patron of yours off and on for 40 years at least and I have enjoyed so many flowers I have bought from your firm. Thank you.

From

Osie A. Doty, Lakeville, Ohio



## Summer Forget-Me-Not ANCHUSA, B, R.

115—MYOSOTIDIFLORA (Dwarf Anchusa). Light sky blue, its habit is dwarf, which makes it excellent for rock garden or border. The flowers keep well and are used to lighten bouquets or for corsages.

96—BLUE BIRD, ha, 2 ft. Vivid indigo, compact.

98—ITALICA DROPMORE, hp, 3 ft. Lovely Gentian blue, an improved Italica; showy in beds; fine to cut.

99—LISADEL, hp, 3 ft. New, large rich blue flrs.

97—CAPENSIS. Cape-forget-me-not. 1½ ft. Striking red bordered blue flower with white throat.

101—OPAL. hp. 4 ft. Light blue.

102—ANCHUSA complete mixture of above.

Note: All Anchusa must be started early to bloom the first season. The flowers are good for bees and are beautiful in beds, the long loose sprays are fine for bouquets. These do well in any garden.

## BELL OF IRELAND

325—BELL OF IRELAND. Graceful 2 ft. branching stems are so surrounded by 2 in. flowers that there is little room for leaves. The bell-shaped calyx is green and delicately veined, containing the pure white corolla. Both curious and beautiful.

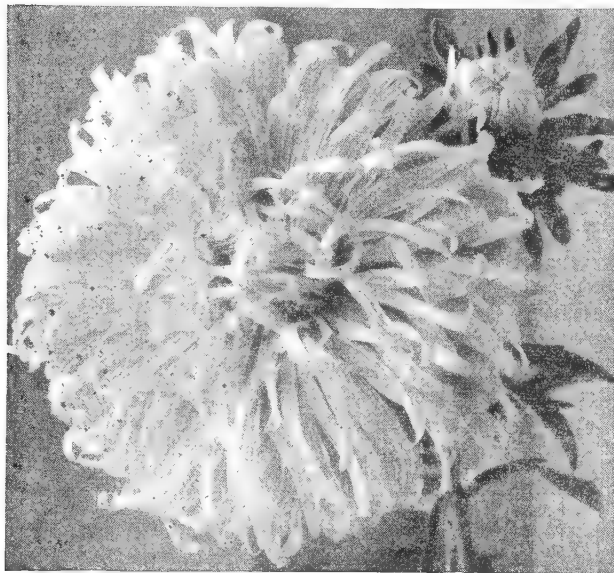


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# ASTER PARADE

**Wilt-Resistant—Treated against disease  
For flowers in July, August and September**

The China Aster is one of the most desirable of cut flowers, because they have long stems, excellent keeping qualities, and they are not easily damaged. They may be had in bloom from early August until Frost by making successive sowings at two week intervals, and choosing Early and Late varieties. The symbol W. R. indicates high resistance to wilt and disease. hha.



Aster, Giant Crego

## Giant Wilt Resistant Crego Asters

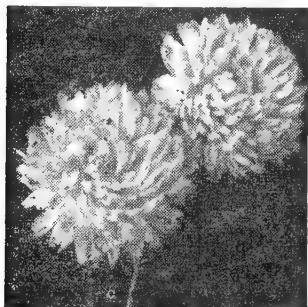
Large Double Flowers 4-5 in. across 3 ft. Of all Asters, this is considered the most beautiful and most useful. The long-stemmed flowers are great fluffy balls 4-5 inches across, rivaling the finest Chrysanthemums, and lasting better than others when cut. Blooms in Mid-September. We offer the following colors:

|                   |                      |
|-------------------|----------------------|
| 231—Crimson       | 236—Shell Pink       |
| 232—Deep Rose     | 237—Pure White       |
| 233—Lavender Pink | 238—Blue Flame       |
| 235—Royal Purple  | 238—Complete Mixture |

Pkt. 10c; Large Pkt. 25c; 1/4 oz. 70c.

### 06—ASTER CREGO COLLECTION

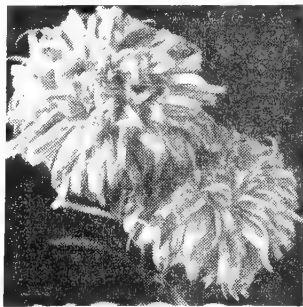
For a beautiful bouquet combination: Crego Crimson, Crego Blue Flame, Crego Shell Pink, Crego White. ALL FOUR 10c pkts. for 35c



American Branching

### American Branching

Wilt Resistant 2 1/2 ft. Robust large double flowers from early Sept. to frost. Branching habit, with stems often 2 ft. long. 210—Pink, 212—Scarlet, 211—Pure White, 213 Complete Mixture.



Early Giant Rose Marie

## Early Giant Wilt Resistant

The finest large flowered, heavy stemmed Aster yet developed. Flowers are of the large Giants of Calif. type, while the plants are less tall, about 1 1/2 ft. with strong heavy stems. This class is early blooming, coming into flower four to six weeks earlier than Giants of Calif. during early to mid-August. 223—Light Blue (1939 Silver Medal). 225—Rose Marie (1940 Silver Medal), Rich rose. 219—Early Giants Mixture of above colors.



Single Giants of California

## Single Giant Asters

264—Single Giants of California Mixed. W.R.

The original type of single Asters, now greatly improved. The flowers are large, attaining a diameter of 3-4 inches. Upright habit of growth gives long stems for cutting. Blooms late Sept. Complete Mixture.

263—Single CHINESE GIANTS MIXED. 1 1/2-2 ft. Flowers daisy-like, petals wide and closely placed; habit is branching. Blooms late August.

## NEW AND FINEST ASTERS THE FOUR PRINCESS ASTERS: W.R.

Delightful in form, exquisite in color.

240—Princess Barbara. Delicate orchid blooms in profusion on 3 ft. plants.

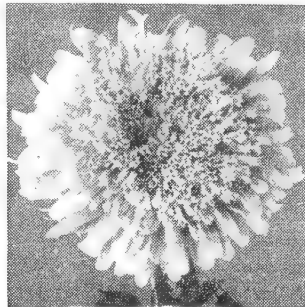
241—Princess Bonnie. Early, wilt-resistant 3 ft. flowers of full crested aurora type surrounded by several rows of guard petals. A luscious new color of soft salmon rose, center rich gold.

239—Princess Anne. Companion to Princess Bonnie. Heavy stemmed delicate pink.

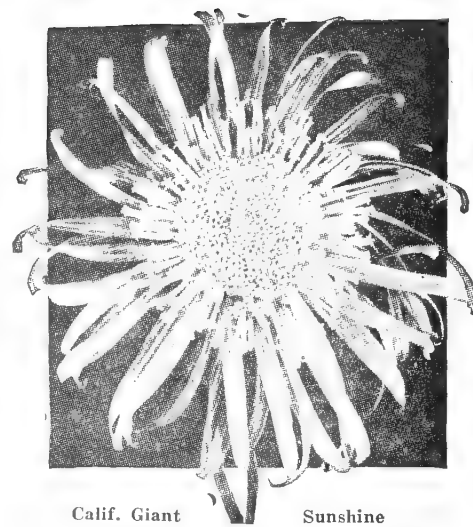
242—Princess Marsha. An exciting new color note of vibrant cinnabar scarlet with boldly contrasted golden center.

222—Aurora Golden Sheaf, W. R. 2 1/2 ft. The only wilt-resistant yellow Aster. Flowers are deep yellow in bud, turning to rich cream when open. Full cushioned center, quill petals.

243—Princess Mixture. A blend of Bonnie, Barbara, Anne and Golden Sheaf.



Aurora Golden Sheaf

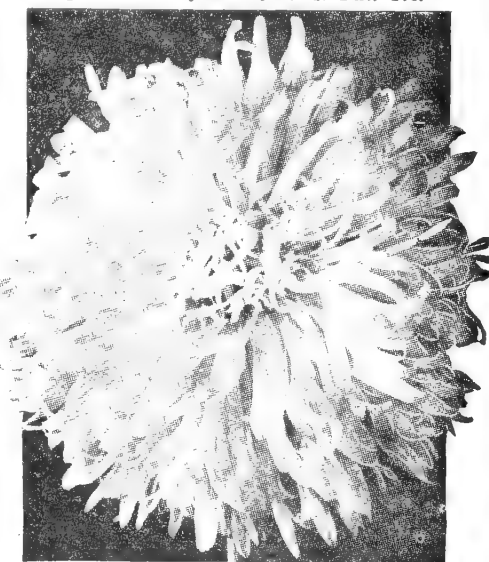


Calif. Giant

Sunshine

## GIANT SUNSHINE ASTERS

251—California Giant Sunshine. The mammoth 5 in. flowers are composed of a single row of loosely placed outer petals contrasting with great charm to the quill-like yellow center. Plants grow to a height of 2 to 3 ft. and bear splendid heavy stems. We offer an excellent mixture of colors, all with varying shades of yellow centers. Pkt. 10c.



245—Super Giant Los Angeles

## Largest of All Asters SUPER GIANTS

The largest, most fully double Asters known. 2 1/2 ft. plants bear 6-8 long stems with 6 in. flowers. 244—El Monte. Special 1936 Council selection. Large deep glowing crimson. Early blooming. 245—Los Angeles is a lovely delicate shell-pink blending to a creamy center. The handsome robust plant produces large graceful, feathery petaled flowers on fine upright stems. Showy in the garden and exquisite to cut.

230—Improved Giants of California Mixed. These are now in great demand. The plants reach a height of 3 ft. and carry 10 to 12 long strong stems with flowers that are large, full and curly tipped. Fine mixture of best colors.

268—Super Giants Mixed.

## Ostrich Feather

261—Ostrich - Feather Improved Mixed, W.R. 2 1/2 ft. Tall branching, robust, splendid for beds; flowers immense fluffy balls, showy, long-stemmed, excellent for cutting. This is one of the largest and most beautiful of all double Asters. We offer a splendid blended mixture of rose, lavender, purple, blue and white.

## GIANT ASTERS FROM JULY TO AUGUST

270—LARGE FLOWERING DOUBLE WILT RESISTANT ASTERS MIXED TYPES. A blend made up of all the large flowering double kinds of Asters we list which will give you blooms from Mid-July until Frost. Pkt. 10c; Large Pkt. 25c; 1/4 oz. 65c.

256—HEART OF FRANCE Wilt Resistant. 2 ft.

Rich, dark red, very double, branching plants. Blooms in late August.

### The Earliest of All

262—QUEEN OF THE MARKET IMPROVED—W.R.

20 in. The earliest Wilt Resistant Aster, blooms in late July. Plants are branching, and produce on long stems very double flowers of fine form. Showy in beds, or as cut flowers. Complete Mixture.

All Seed: Pkt. 10c, Giant Pkt. 25c

234—EXTRA EARLY NAVY BLUE

20 in. Blooms in 14 weeks from seeding. Large 4-inch flowers on long wiry 12" stems. Fine for cutting or bedding.

### EARLY BEAUTIES

221—Early Beauty Mixed. W. R. 2 1/2 ft. Flowers in Late August. Flowers have incurving petals which give it a form and grace similar to Peonies. Flowers are large and well formed and keep well when cut.

267—ASTERS ALL VARIETIES MIXED. A special blend all types, colors, Single, Double.

All Aster seed are treated  
Against disease for you.

## CULTURAL DIRECTIONS

Seeds may be started indoors in a flat in early spring, or outdoors after danger of heavy frost is past. The seeds germinate in about 8 days and should be transplanted at least once to stimulate growth. After planting to permanent position, cultivate and water regularly. Prefers semi-shade.



## SWAN RIVER DAISY

338—**BRACHYCOME Iberidifolia Blue Supreme**, ha, 14 in. Dark blue flower with white eye borne in abundance in your border or rockery on sturdy, compact plants with lacy deep cut foliage.  
329—**B. Red Star**. Bright red. 340—**White Star**.  
341A—**RED, WHITE AND BLUE MIXTURE**.  
341—**BRACHYCOME COMPLETE MIXTURE**.

## BROWALLIA—AMETHYST

For winter pot plants or summer beds, this versatile plant does well in sun or shade. Likes moist, porous soil. Makes fine winter bouquets.

345—**B. ELATA GRANDIFLORA MIXED**. hha. 2 ft. Large winged flowers borne in clusters. Free and long blooming, self sows. Fine mixture of colors.

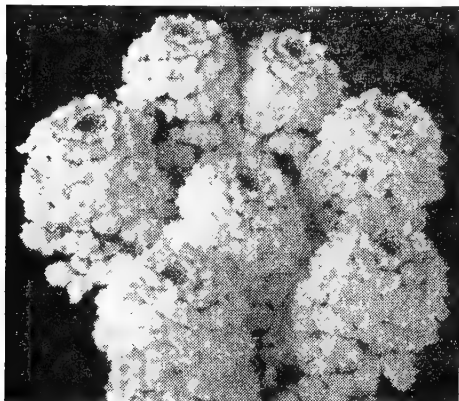
346—**B. SAPPHIRE (Viscosa Compacta)**. 9 in. Extra fine, dwarf plants bear attractive dark blue flowers with white eyes. Distinct and rare.

## POPPY MALLOW

390—**CALLIRHOE Involucrata**, ha, 8 in. A lovely trailing everblooming plant, the flowers cup-shaped and of a rich crimson color; very desirable for rockery and dry border.

## CALANDRINA SPECIOSA

**ROCK PURSLANE**—6 in., ha  
Charming low growing succulents which will endure the hottest sun and bear bright clusters throughout the summer. Sow where they are to bloom. Will do well where most plants die  
351—**Alba**, white; 352—**Crimson**; 353—**Mixed**



Candytuft Giant Hyacinth Flowered

## CANDYTUFT, D. B.

**BLOOMS IN TWO MONTHS FROM SEED**

Plant seed where the plants are to bloom and in two months' time they will be in flower.

440—**CORONARIA, Giant Hyacinth-Flowered or Improved Empress**, ha, 18 in. Tree-like, perhaps the finest of annual Candytuft; each branch terminating in a big spike of pure white flowers; very showy in beds and excellent for cutting. A distinct and beautiful garden annual. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c.

443—**QUEEN OF ITALY**. 9 in. Dwarf pink rock plant.

447—**UMBELLATA**. 1 ft. Very beautiful varieties of many rich colors; flowers borne in big umbels; grand display in beds or borders. Mxd. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c.

448—**UMBELLATA, New Dwarf Sorts**. 9 in. Showy for beds.

449—**Complete Special Mixture**, Candytuft.

450—**CANNA**, hhp, 3 ft. Crozy's finest mixed.

## ANNUAL CALLIOPSIS

Extra fine cut-flower annual, ha, C

385—**ATROSANGUINEA**. Tall, blood red. Fine for adding that finishing touch to your bouquets.  
384—**ALL DOUBLE MIXED**. 3 ft. No better strain of Double Flowering Calliopsis has yet been found. The 1-1½ in. double and semi-double flowers are borne on long graceful stems in abundance from July till frost. Beautiful complete mixture of colors. All double.

389—**COMPLETE MIXTURE OF CALLIOPSIS**.

## ANNUAL CANTERBURY BELLS

402—**CAMPANULA Medium Annual Canterbury Bells**. Now you can have these lovely plants in your garden the first year from seeds. Complete mixture of colors. Fine for rockery or beds. Sow early where it is to bloom.

## Everblooming Calendulas Pot-Marigold-Ha, C,

One of the best annuals for the garden or greenhouse, and one of the easiest to grow. Calendulas will thrive almost anywhere. In the South it will bloom practically all year round, and in the North from May until frost. Vast improvements have been made in color, size and shape of these fine plants. The best of these are listed below. Keep the flowers cut for constant bloom.

370—**Park's Pastel Bedding Mixture**. Quite complete, an assortment of pastel shades in the dwarf types. Very good for beds, borders and cut flowers.

368—**Orange King Improved**. Intense orange, splendid; a favorite for winter bloom in pots.

362—**Art Shades**. A very desirable mixture of delicate shades of apricot, orange, cream, lemon, white and many other tints.

363—**Ball's Orange Improved**. Immense double orange.

374—**New Yellow Colossal**. Largest to date, profuse blooming, fully double, compact and lovely in form with full center; outer petals long, loose and gracefully curled. Fine for exhibition.

369—**Orange Shaggy**. Rich orange flowers shading to yellow at the center. The narrow, beautifully fringed close-set petals give the shaggy appearance of a Chrysanthemum; very popular.

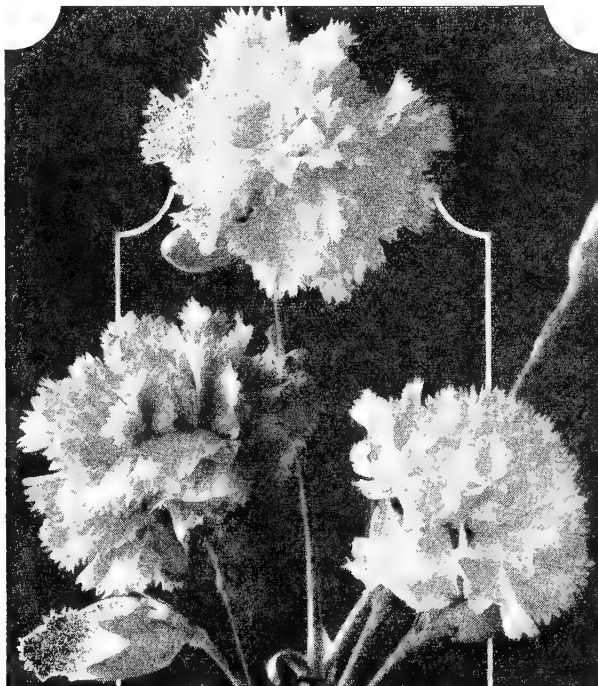
373—**Sunshine**. 2 ft. Entirely new and distinct species, taller, more graceful, more showy, long incurved Chrysanthemum-like petals, bright canary yellow.

375—**Complete Mixture—Pot Marigolds**.



375—**Calendula Double Finest Mixed**

365—**Golden Beam**. Petals are curled to give the appearance of soft lace in pure golden yellow. A Park Novelty for '47. Don't miss it. Pkt. 25c.



Carnation Chabaud's Giant Double

## CARNATION CULTURE

All the carnations listed below will bloom in 5 months or less from seed. Sow early indoors for early bloom, or outdoors after last frost. Plants may be cut back, lifted and taken inside for winter bloom. To carry them over the winter outside, cut back and give heavy mulching.

## GIANT CARNATIONS

from  
Seed equal to the  
finest  
Florist Carnation  
Blooms  
in 3 to 5 months  
and flowers until frost  
They may be lifted  
and potted for  
winter bloom

## YOU'LL LOVE THE SPICY ODOR OF THESE CARNATIONS SENSATIONAL NEW CARNATION BLOOMS IN 90 DAYS SUPER GIANTS

486—**Carnation J. M. Bridgeford**.

16 in. Giant double flowers 3-4 inches across on long stems. Seed may be planted early inside, or outside after frost and will bloom in 90 days after sowing. Flowers thruout the summer. Embracing all Carnation colors including yellow. Pkt. 25c.

**CHABAUD GIANT**. Everblooming. hp, 18 in. Plants are vigorous, flowers are large and varied in color and continue over a long period. May be grown in beds or in conservatory.

457—**Aurora**. Deep coppery salmon.

458—**Etincelant**. Bright beautiful scarlet. New.

459—**Jeanne Dionis**. Pure snow white. Finest.

460—**Legion of Honor**. Clear salmon rose.

461—**Marie Chabaud**. Sulphur yellow.

462—**Nero**. Deep blood red. Intense.

463—**Reine Rose**. Delicate flesh pink.

464—**Sparkler**. Cardinal red.

465—**Striped**. Novel, striking, many colors.

466—**The Pearl**. A delicate purple.

484—**Avranchin Mixed**. This beautiful mixture includes all the yellow ground varieties.

This beautiful mixture includes all the yellow ground varieties.

467—**Complete Mixture of above and other colors**.

487—**Carnation Super Giant Mixed**.

Similar in habit and earliness to Chabaud Giant, but with flowers 1/3 larger. Very Double and strongly clove scented.

469—**Enfant de Nice**, hp, 1 ft. A magnificent strain resulting from a cross between Chabaud's Giant and Perpetual. The plants are upright in habit, with long, strong stalks bearing flowers 3 in. in diam. in fine mixture of colors.

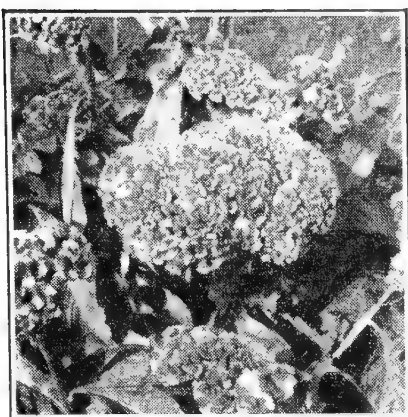
478—**Grenadin Mixed**, hp, 2 ft. A fine garden Carnation, blooming first season; flowers large, double and freely produced.

470—**Giant Malmaison Mixed**, hp, 1 ft. Very large flowers; in finest colors; blooms first season.

472—**Giant Marguerite Improved Formula Mixture**, hp, 1 ft. Largest full double flowers especially fine for cut flowers. Excellent for winter bloom in the greenhouse or window garden. Complete mixture of rich and varied colors.

483—**Complete Mixture**, many colors.





Celosia Maple Gold

## COXCOMB—Celosia, C, B.

Mrs. J. D. Gilbert has been at work developing this delightful family for many years. The three varieties listed below were originated and grown by her and represent the finest Celosias in the world.

504—Gilbert's Rose Beauty. 2 ft. Extra large flower heads of deep bright rose to bring a striking new color to this fine group. Dries perfectly for winter bouquets. Pkt. 25c.

503—Gilbert's Green Gold. 2 ft. A new color combination. Sparkling silver tipped with light rose, touched with gold. Dries well, takes dying perfectly. Pkt. 25c.

496—Gilbertia Maple Gold. 2 ft. Heads of delightful maple-pink, the ruffled segments tipped with gold. Pkt. 25c.

493—Cristata, Coxcomb. hha, 18 in. Huge broad combs in many showy colors, fine.

494—Empress, hha, 1 ft. Huge, bright crimson combs, bronze foliage, beds; fine display till frost.

491—Childsii, Chinese Wool Flower. hha, 2 ft. Good beds. Mixed colors.

495—Fiery Feather. Dwarf, 15 in. Brilliant red.

498—Plumosa, Parrot's Feather (Pride of Castle Gould). hha, 2 ft. Big feathery plumes; beautiful; scarlet and orange mixed.

500—Complete Mixture of Celosias.

## WALLFLOWER Cheiranthus, R

528—C. Allioni, Golden Bedder. Golden yellow.

527—Allioni. bh, 18 in. The brightest of orange-colored flowers, and very free-blooming; easily grown and when sown in spring will bloom from July until November. Flowers in fine fragrant clusters.

529—C. Kewensis, hhp, 2 ft. (The Winter-Blooming Wallflower.) Golden and purple violet, fragrant.

530—Linifolius. hp, 9 in. Lilac, sweet-scented.

524—Cheiranthus Complete Mixture.

## POT OF GOLD, C, B

Coreopsis will furnish your home with bright golden flowers for 4 or 5 months because it begins to bloom in June and is covered with flowers until killed back by frost.

596—Double Sunburst. Brilliant golden yellow and more gorgeous because of the over-lapping petals of the large 3 in. flowers. Fine keeping qualities. 80% double. New and splendid.

595—Double New Gold. The flowers are large and fluffy rich golden yellow, 100% double, fine.

594—Coreopsis Double Mixture.

## GOLDEN YELLOW SWEET PEA

620—CROTALARIA Retusa. hha, 2 ft. Great racemes of golden yellow and brown pea shaped flowers.

## CORAL FLOWER

593—CORAL FLOWER. 30 in. Loose clusters of little five-pointed blossom stars of luminous pink rosiness, then come hundreds of long-hanging capsules, each like a bead of coral, polished to brilliancy.



Cleome, Pink Queen

## SPIDER FLOWER, Ha, C.

571—CLEOME, Pink Queen. 3-4 ft. Distinct and new, this beautiful Spider plant bears its huge trusses of bright salmon pink from summer until late fall. Immune to disease and insect pests. Fine for tall borders.



Sensation Mixed

## GIANT COSMOS Hha, C FROM JULY UNTIL FROST

So easily grown they seem to thrive on neglect, these fine annuals are one of the most useful of garden flowers. Just drop a bouquet of them into a vase and watch them arrange themselves.

### LARGEST OF ALL COSMOS

Extra early sensation, 4-6 inch flowers.

616—Radiance. A. A. Silver Medal 1948. See color picture back cover. First bicolor—deep rose and rich crimson. Pkt. 25c.

610—Cardinal. Rich, velvety crimson color.

611—Dazzler. New. Brilliant crimson maroon.

612—Pinkie. Delicate and delightful pink.

613—Purity. Snowy, ocean breaker white.

614—Mixed. Complete Mixture Cosmos Sensation.

### Batchelor's Button, Centaurea

A showy and valuable class of annuals of easy culture. Those described below bloom first season and are showy in the garden, and valuable for cutting. Flowers keep well.

Centaurea Cyanus, Ha, C.

Here is the familiar Bachelor's Button so improved that you will hardly recognize it. You'll delight in your walks bordered in one of the fine colors listed.

511—Red Boy. 3 ft. Bright deep red.

509—Blue Boy. 3 ft. Bright blue.

510—Pinkie. 3 ft. Delightful deep pink.

512—Snow Man. 3 ft. Glistening white.

513—Complete Mixture. Above varieties.

## New 12" Dwarf Gem

We proudly offer the following colors to supplement the ever popular Jubilee Gem. Fine for bedding or cutting.

516 Jubilee Gem. 12". Bushy plants smothered with deep blue flowers. Foliage vivid green.

514—Azure Fairy. 12". Light delft-blue.

522—Lilac Lady. 12". Pure lilac. Dwarf and bushy.

523—Purple Prince. 12". Deep purple. Beautiful.

A new color in Centaurea. Pkt. 25c.

541—Dwarf Double Gem Mixed. Includes all above.

515—C. IMPERIALIS (Royal Sweet Sultan). 3 ft. ha. Glorious in its display of giant flowers so soft and feathery, so delicate and light that they seem to float above the foliage. Complete mixture.

### MISCELLANEOUS CENTAUREA

Americana. hha, 3 ft. In a class by itself. Largest, most showy of Centaureas, 5 in. across; fine for cutting; July and August.

506—Blue 505—White 507—Mixed

519—C. Odorata Mixed. ha, 2 ft. Fragrant.

518—Complete Mixture of Centaurea, all varieties.



## DOUBLE CLARKIA, Ha, C, B. ROCKY MOUNTAIN GARLAND

Blooms from July until Frost.

Easily grown, sow in spring or fall. Showy beds, and fine cut flowers.

557—Clarkia Elegans Double Mixed. ha, 2 ft. A fine blend of all Clarkia colors. Our finest mixture.

561—NOVELTY CLARKIA MIXTURE. All the newer and finer varieties direct from the trial grounds, 25c.

559—La France Pink. 18". Most attractive of the Clarkias. Silvery pink, very double.



Cosmos, White Cloud

## COSMOS—GIANT DOUBLE

These fully double fluted or crested flowers are the finest Cosmos yet developed (65% double).

603—Peerless White Cloud. Giant flowers 4-5 in. in diam. Beautiful soft velvety white color.

602—Peerless Pink Lady. Delicate salmon pink.

604—Extra Double Peerless Sensation Mixed. White, pink, crimson and shades all included.

601—Extra Early Double Crested (Anemone Flowered). Not quite as large but with greater percentage of doubles than above varieties. We offer a fine mixture of crimson, pink and white.

605—COSMOS HYBRIDS, Earliest Large Flowered, hha, 3 ft. Blooms freely from June until frost if planted early. Fine Mixture.

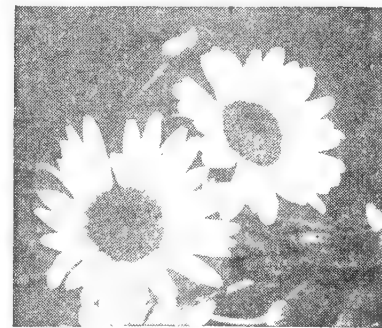
609—Mammoth Late Hybrids. 5 ft. Giant flowers, strong stems, blooms until frost. Mixed.

615—Complete Mixture of all types of Cosmos.

617—KLONDYKE Cosmos Mixed. 2-3 ft. hha. Orange flare, Yellow flare and Dble. Orange Ruffles Mixed.



Bachelor Button—C. Cyanus, Jubilee Gem



Chrysanthemum Korean Hyb.

## Hardy Chrysanthemums

Bloom in 5 months and last for years

536—KOREAN HYBRIDS. hp. Semi-double and single. Blooms from seed in 5 months. Magnificent color range. Hardy and long lasting.

543—INDICUM DOUBLE HYBRIDS. hp. Double and semi-double flowers in splendid colors Mixed.

This is the hardy fall blooming Chrysanthemum and is one of the parents of the Florist type.

542—INDICUM SINGLE HYBRIDS. hp. Similar to above, but with large single flowers.

544—GLORY MIXTURE. hp. Our finest mixture of hardy Chrysanthemums with an exceedingly wide range of brilliant colors. Contains seeds of Korean and Arcticum Hybrids as well as Azalea-mums, Indicum and Morifoliums.

## PAINTED DAISIES—Annual Chrysanthemums—Late Summer Bloom

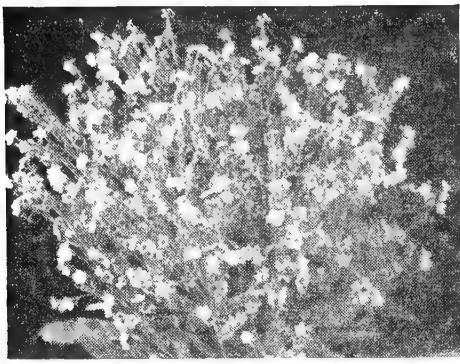
537—Tricolor Merry Mixture. Hundreds of cheerful single flowers with brilliant vari-colored rings.

535—Bridal Robe. ha. Pure white, full double.

539—Double Annual Mixture. 3-4 ft. All colors.

540—Complete Mixture Annuals. Single and double.





Cynoglossum FIRMAMENT

## CHINESE FORGET-ME-NOT

634—CYNOGLOSSUM Amabile. "Dwarf Firmament". ha, 18 in. (Chinese Forget-Me-Not). A. A. 1939, this dwarf, bushy, free flowering plant deserves an important place in your garden. Its name comes appropriately from its sweet scented sky blue flowers. Blooms May until frost.  
630—Amabile Blue. Brilliant turquoise blue.  
632—Amabile Pink. In growth and appearance this resembles the blue, only the fls. are rich pink.  
636—Cynoglossum Complete Mixture.

## CUPHAEA (Cigar Plant) hhp, 1 ft.

623—CUPHAEA Firefly. An outstanding, neat, dwarf, quick flowering, colorful plant for pots, window boxes or the rockery. The profusion of beautifully formed fiery cerise flowers begins to show 14 weeks from seed and presents a blaze of color throughout the season.  
621—Platycentra. Scarlet, tipped black, cigar shape.  
624—Complete Special Mixture of Cuphaea.

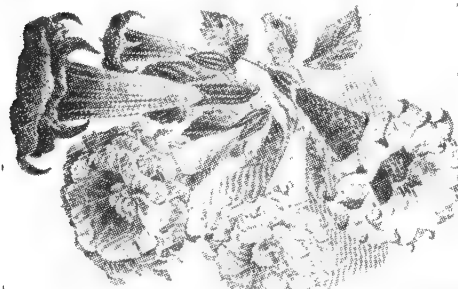
## Grow GIANT DAHLIAS from Seeds

As easily grown as Zinnias—make flowers and tubers first season



DAHLIA GOLD MEDAL HYBRIDS—Pkt. 10c.

656—Gold Medal. These seeds are saved from splendid strains of named double varieties and will afford the finest results. We offer them with entire confidence. All the fine colors in mixture.  
654—Double-flowered. Seeds chosen from finest double varieties, including Exhibition Type. A fine mixture, sure to give you some of your finest Dahlias.



Datura Fastuosa

## TRUMPET FLOWER—Datura

Easily-grown garden fls.; large trumpet-shaped, mostly sweet-scented and quite showy. They bloom freely during summer and are always attractive.  
666—Fastuosa. hhp, 3 ft. The most fragrant Datura. Long, double 6 in. fls. Fine beds or pots.  
665—Golden Trumpet Flower (Chlorantha). Trumpets of most intense doubleness, trumpet within trumpet. Color range from soft cream through primrose to deep buff yellow.  
661—Complete Mixture Datura.

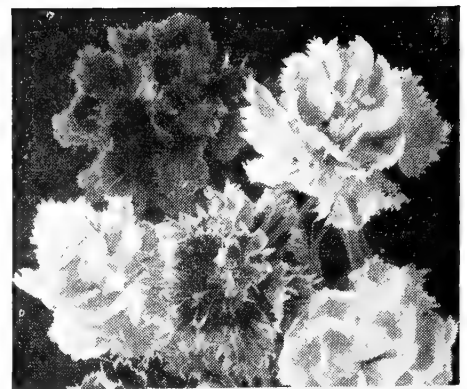


Westwood Beauty—A. A. 1946

## Giant Single Pinks

### WESTWOOD BEAUTY

DIANTHUS HEDDENSIS. ha, 16". An entirely new tetraploid variety combining the large-open flowers of Dianthus Heddegi with the rugged growth and long stemmed habit of Dianthus Chinensis. Well formed 2" flowers in large numbers on 16" stems, suitable for cutting. More tolerant of extreme temperatures than either of its parents. Blooms from June until frost.  
718—Westwood Beauty. Rich colors from fiery crimson to deep velvety red. A. A. 1946.  
722—Heddensis Finest Mixed. An outstanding introduction for 1948. All the traditional Dianthus colors in this new type. Pkt. 25c.  
721—Sweet Wivelsfield. ha, 18 in. Sweet scented flowers of many colors. Cross between Allwoodii and Sweet William. Long blooming season.  
716—Single Mixed. All single D. Heddegi.



From Dianthus Heddegi Mixed—10c

## GIANT ORIENTAL PINKS

### DIANTHUS HEDDEGII, C. B.

Hb, 1 ft. These are magnificent Pinks that bloom freely and continuously from June until frost. The flowers are large and showy, single and double, and come in a wonderful variety of bright beautiful colors. They are among our finest garden fls.

### DOUBLE-FLOWERED VARIETIES

708—Diadem Pink. Fine double, large, variegated.  
709—Fireball. Rich glowing scarlet, double, large.  
706—fl. pl. Albus. Full double white.  
712—Midnight. 12 in. Color of this giant double is sinister dark, deep, glowing red.

### FRILLED AND LACINIATED DOUBLES

710—Gaiety. 9 in. White through Pink and Cerise to red.  
711—Lucifer. Large double intense orange scarlet.  
714—Snowball. Fls. extra large, double, white.  
707—Violaceus. Large double, deep violet.  
715—Complete Mixture of Double Varieties.  
717—Complete Mixture of single and double.  
705—Chinese Pinks. A select mixture of single and double varieties of Dianthus Chinensis. 16 in.  
719—Chinensis Imperialis Fl. pl. Fully double, extra large choice mixture. Pkt. 25c.

## AFRICAN DAISY, Ha. B

### DIMORPHOTHECA (STAR OF THE VELDT)

One of the most delightful annuals for your borders. Of medium height, the compact African Daisy bears literally hundreds of flowers at one time. As the sun comes up in the morning they open and smile up at you. They like a warm sunny location. Bloom June until frost

774—Salmon Beauty (Aurantiaca). Delightful, deep salmon pink flowers are carried well above the foliage on sturdy stems. A ball of color.  
775—Aurantiaca Hybrids Special formula mixture.  
783—Orange Improved. Bright orange.  
784—Pluvialis Var. Ringens. Glistening white with contrasting blue zone. Will bring a cool feeling to summer's hottest days.

779—New Hybrids. 1 ft. The new and beautiful African Daisy; flowers large, varying in color from the purest white to orange and rich salmon shades.

778—Glistening White. Dwarf plant with extremely large 3½ in. glossy pure white petals surrounding a shiny black center. Outstanding in the garden.

776—Double Hybrids Mixed. Now you can have this double flowering African Daisy with fls. which last twice as long and withstand the summer heat. Color range: deep salmon orange to white in fine mixture. 65% double.

013—All Three: One 10c packet each of the finest African Daisies listed in this box 25c.

782—Special Mixed from Named Varieties. Best.



Double Dimorphotheca

DIMORPHOTHECA CULTURE. Cape Marigold or African Daisy. They like a warm sunny location and should be sown in boxes in March or April for long growing season. Dimorphotheca will flower from early summer until frost and makes a fine border plant.

## BLUE LACE FLOWER

758—TRACHYMENE COERULEA (Didiscus). The dainty 2½ ft. plant carries long stemmed rounded clusters of clear blue slender tubed flowers, suggesting a miniature lace parasol.

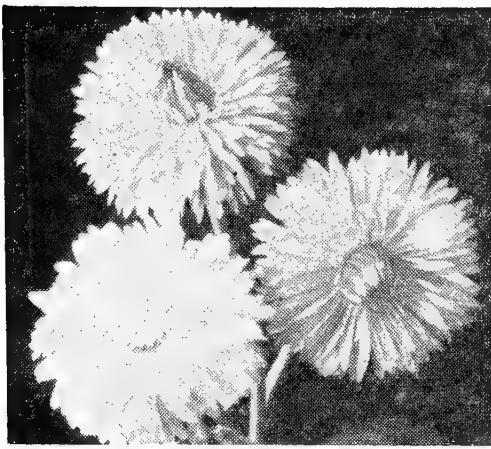
## ECHIU (Vipers Bugloss) D. B

A genus of plants particularly adapted to poor soil and a sunny dry situation.

796—Blue Bedder. 1 ft. Dwarf sturdy plant, blue.  
798—White Mountain. Novelty. Profuse snowy.  
799—Echium mixed.

## SNOW ON THE MOUNTAIN

828—SNOW ON THE MOUNTAIN. E. Variegata. ha, 2 ft. Snowy white bracts atop the mountain of green give a striking effect for your tall border.  
826—EUPHORBIA Heterophylla. ha, 2 ft. (Mexican Fire Plant). Brilliant by reason of the upper foliage being blotched bright red.



Bellis Monstrosa Mixed—10c.

## ENGLISH DAISY

Bellis Perennis, hp, 6 in. C. B.

Beautiful, hardy, everblooming plants for summer beds north and winter beds south. The flrs. are like small double Asters of many rich colors, and if alternated with Pansies, the effect is charming. Easily grown from seeds and should be set in the beds 6 in. apart.

Monstrosa. Extra double flrs of robust habit; remarkably fine; largest and best quality; unsurpassed. 327—Rose. 328—White Snowball.

- 329—Complete Mixture.
- 331—Tubulosa Etna Red. Quilled large double brilliant red flowers.
- 323—Tubulosa Mixed. Giant quilled double. Rose, red, white, deep red all represented.
- 326—Excelsa Rose. Bright rose. Flrs. large.
- 330—Park's Super Giant Special Pure White. Extra large, extra choice flowers. Recommended.
- 332—Bellis Complete Mixture.

## CALIFORNIA POPPIES

Eschscholtzia Californica, B.

Ha. 1 ft. One of the most easily grown of garden annuals. Everblooming, beginning early in summer and blooms until frost. Finely cut silvery foliage.

### SINGLE FLOWERING

- 816—Aurantiaca. This is the original California Poppy. Rich, bright yellow.
- 810—Brilliant Mixture, Single Flowering.
- 812—Dwarf Compact Varieties—Mixed.

### DOUBLE, FRILLED AND FLUTED

- 814—Ramona Hybrids. A bright blended mixture of the best colors, frilled and fluted petals.

### DOUBLE FLOWERED ESCHSCHOLTZIA

- 811—Double and Semi-double Mixed.
- 822—SPLENDID PRIZE MIXTURE

Rich colors in excellent mixture of singles, doubles, fringed, fluted. Pkt. 10c; 3/4 oz. 15c.

## GODETIA (Farewell to Spring) B.

Godetias bloom profusely and become glorious sheets of satiny color. Sow early in rows 6 in. apart and thin out. Likes cool weather.

- 888—Double Flowered Mixed Godetia. Includes all known colors in fine double strains.
- 892—Single and Double complete mixture.
- 831—FELICIA Bergeriana (Kingfisher Daisy), ha, 4 in. Turfy plants; flrs. daisy-like, an inch across; a lovely shade of blue. Fine for rockery.

## GAY GAZANIA

- 857—Splendens Hybrida Grandiflora. hhp. Showy Daisy like orange flrs. 2-3 in. across, with black and white basal markings. Silk textured leaves.

## GILIA

- 871—Capitata (Blue Thimble Flower), 30 in. Rich sky blue flrs. all summer
- 872—Micrantha (Fairy Stars) ha, 6 in. Plants spread out with vivid rose flowers.
- 873—GILIA Tricolor (Birds-eyes), ha, 12 in. Delightful variegated flrs. of blue, white and gold.
- 876—Gilia Complete Mixture.
- 968—HELIOPSIS, Lemoine's Giant, hp, 3 ft. An improved strain; dble flrs., twice the size of the older sort, and of a brilliant golden yellow.
- 983—HETEROPAPPUS Hispidus (Blue Daisy), hha, 2 ft. Aster-like flrs silvery lavender, gold center.

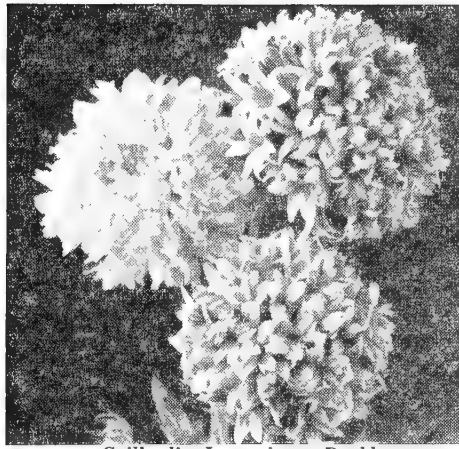
### SWEET ROCKET, B. C.

HESPERIS Matronilis. hp, 3 ft. Sometimes known as Dame's Violet. Terminal clusters of large Phlox-like deliciously scented flowers throughout Summer. A lovely easily grown perennial that should be in every garden.

- 979—Park's Red. Bright red.
- 980—Park's White. Pure white.

- 982—Nana Candidissima. Dwarf pure white, early flowering novelty.
- 981—Complete blended Mixture. Hesperis.

Buy fresh seeds—Order direct from Geo. W. Park Seed Co., Greenwood, South Carolina



Gaillardia Lorenziana, Double

## BLANKET FLOWER

Gaillardia Annual and Perennial

If your garden does not already contain these fine plants be sure to sow some this year. They start readily from seed and require little attention.

### DOUBLE BLANKET FLOWER, C.

- 847—Lorenziana, ha, 18 in. Large double flrs in many colors; white to deep red and variegated. A grand assortment of attractive double flowers.
- 843—Fiesta—Gay Gypsy Flower. The large, semi-double sweet scented yellow flowers are blotched red at heart.
- 850—Double Sunshine. Harmonious blending of giant annual Gaillardias ranging from almost red faintly tipped yellow to pure yellow. Fine long cutting stems, flowers 2 1/2 in. across. Extra good.
- 015—ALL THREE. Double Gaillardia varieties listed in this box—value 30c—for 25c.

### ANNUAL BLANKET FLOWER, C.

- 849—Gaillardia Picta (Blanket Flower), ha. True annuals blooming first year from seed.
- 852—Pinwheel. The best novelty in annual Gaillardias. Unique, single wine-red flower, reverse of petals marked silvery white. Long season of bloom. Fine for cutting.
- 854—Annual Gaillardia Mixed colors.

### PERENNIAL BLANKET FLOWER

- Gaillardia Grandiflora (Perennial Blanket Flower). Hardy perennials blooming first year.
- 841—Burgundy. Lovely wine-red. Popular.
- 844—Goblin, 12 in. The first really dwarf compact variety, especially suited for the rockery. Large showy yellow bordered deep red flowers.
- 848—Gaillardia Monarch Strains. Exquisite mixed, fine large flowers, good color range. The best mixture.
- 845—Complete Mixture Grandiflora Varieties.

## ROSE MALLOW, B

- 994—Hibiscus Mallow Marvels, hp. 3 ft. Attractive foliage, flrs large and showy with broad petals; white to crimson. Complete Mixture.
- 1136—Lavatera Trimestris Splendens, ha, 3 ft. Improved tree mallows; flowers large, fine for beds or borders. Mixed.

## FLAX, Linum, B.

- L. GRANDIFLORUM, ha 1 ft. Elegant for beds or rock gardens. Plants bloom in your garden all season.
- Mixed.
- 1191—Rubrum. Scarlet.
- 1189—Coeurum. Blue.
- 1190—Roseum. Rose
- 1197—L. Grandiflorum Mixed.

### L. PERENNE (Sibericum).

- 1194—Fairy Flax. Always in bloom; graceful and beautiful Blue flowers in abundance.
- 1195—L. Perenne Mixed.



Lobelia

### FAIRY WINGS—

#### Lobelia, B.

LOBELIA ERINUS, ha. Dainty little fairy-like plants; just the thing for making a tiny strip of blue by your walkway or around your beds.

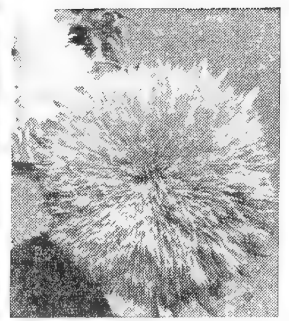
- 1203—Alba. White. A hard to find variety
- 1204—Blue Stone, 4 in. This compact little plant is the very

best bedding Lobelia. It has small irregular shaped flowers of bright clear blue, with no eye.

- 1207—Crystal Palace Compacta, 6 in. Intense dark blue, with dark foliage, a pleasing effect.
- 1208—Prima Donna, ha, 5". Rich velvety maroon.
- 1206—Complete Special Mixture of Erinus var. L. PENDULA. For hanging baskets. Trailing.
- 1211—Sapphire Blue. Azure blue, white eye.
- 1212—Complete Mixture of Pendulous sorts.
- 1216—Mixture of All Lobelia. Special Blend.



Mexican Tulip Poppy



Helianthus Sun Gold

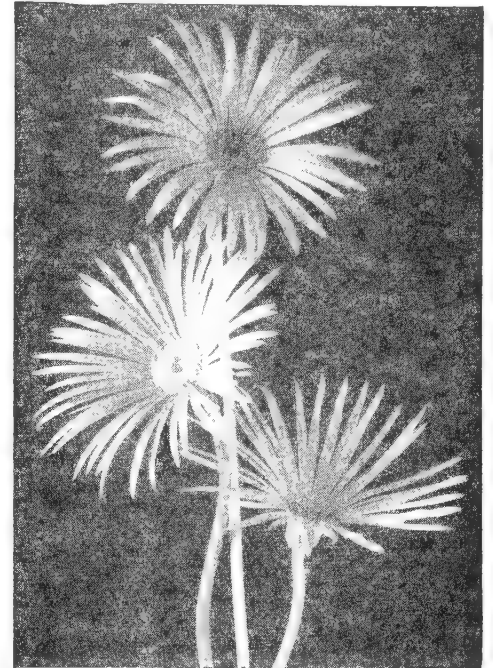
## HELIANTHUS Sunflower,

Flowers are large, mostly shades of yellow, produced freely even in dry weather.

- 950—Giganteus, 10 ft. Single, huge golden.
- 952—Sungold (New) Large flowers of rich golden yellow freely borne, come 100% double.
- 956—Tall Chrysanthemum-flowered, 8 ft. Huge.
- 949—Dwarf Chrysanthemum-flowered (new), 4 ft. 100% double. Large lacinated petals.
- 951—Large-flowered mixed Helianthus.
- 953—Excelsior Hybrids, 5 ft. Pretty bronze, brown and red shades with zone. Popular.
- 955—Small-flowered Helianthus in Mixture.

## MEXICAN TULIP POPPY, C.

- 1022—HUNNEMANNIA, Fumerifolia, Mexican Tulip Poppy, hhp, 2 ft. Bright yellow, flrs 3 in. across, constantly in bloom; wonderful to cut.
- 1023—Sunlite. hhp. 18 in. Semi-double, yellow.



Gerbera Jamesoni Hybrids

## GIANT TRANSVAAL DAISY

- 860—GERBERA Adnet's Giant, Transvaal Daisy, hhp. 15 in. Fine pot plants, blooming for weeks, flrs Aster-like on long stems; fine for cutting; good border plant South. Colors rich and range from white to orange and through flesh to crimson. Mixed. Seed start in 10 to 15 days.

- 861—Park's Giant Hybrids. Transvaal or Barberton Daisy), hhp. 15 in. Long petaled daisy-like flrs. in colors from pale amber to ruby red. Fine for cutting or winter pot plant. A special strain exclusive with us. 5 seeds 10c; 15 seed 25c.

- 862—Jamesoni Scarlet. Extra long stems, giant bright scarlet flowers. 15 seeds for 25c.

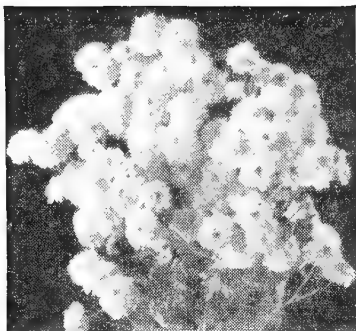
- 863—Jamesoni Hybrids. A blend of many colors.

GERBERA CULTURE: Start in slight heat, such as a sunny window, or hotbed, in well drained sandy peat soil. The fuzzy pointed end of the seed should come just above the soil surface. About two weeks after they germinate, the seedlings should be put in pots and repotted occasionally. 70 deg. temp. is best. Flowers appear in six to nine months from sowing and will continue to bear for years if given winter protection in the garden.

## MINIATURE SNAPDRAGON

- LINARIA, ha, B, R.
- L. Moroccana, ha, 12 in. Blooming 8 weeks from seed. Compact and prolific.
- 1183—Fairy Bouquet. Rich fairy shades.
- 1184—Complete Mixture of L. Moroccana.
- 1181—Cymbalaria. hp, 6 in. Trailing plant; foliage in long drooping sprays; sun or shade; small lilac flrs; rockery.
- 1182—Excelsior Hybrids, ha, 1 ft. many colors
- 1185—Complete Mixture of Linaria.





## MATRICARIA, Feverfew

This hardy annual is readily grown from seeds; the plants becoming masses of lovely flowers during summer. Every flower garden should have a bed of these showy handsome annuals.

1328—*Capensis* fl. pl., 2 ft. Masses of pure white flrs., perfectly double; showy; fine for cutting.

1327—*Ball Dbl. White*. From selected plants. 100% double. Pure white. Our finest Pkt. 25c.

1330—*Golden Ball*, 8 in. Flowers double, in masses; rich golden yellow; excellent for beds.

1331—*Silver Ball*. Like *Golden Ball*, but white.

1329—*Dwarf Double White*, 9 in. Very fine.

1333—*Complete Special Mixture of Matricaria*.

1138—*LAZY DAISY*, ha. Buds are pink suffused, but the flowers are purest of whites.

## ANNUAL LUPINES, ha, C, S.

1226—*Texas Blue Bonnet*, 1 ft. Native of Texas where it forms a sheet of bright sky blue.

1227—*Complete Mixture of Annual Lupines*. This includes *Hartwegi* and *New King* types.

## MALTESE CROSS, B.

Blooms in August from spring sowing and once established in May or June.

*LYCHNIS CHALCEDONICA*, hp, 2 ft. Showy flowers in big heads; very desirable border plant.

1246—*Haageana Hyb Nana mixed*. Dwarf compact.

1244—*Scarlet*. Rich glowing scarlet. One of the few flowers which is definitely red.

1243—*Arkwrightii Hybrids*. New choice hybrids mixed.

1241—*Alpina*, hp, 6 in. Flrs. brilliant rose in clusters, rockery.

1245—*Haageana Hybrida mixed*, hp, 14 in. Flrs. in early summer. Brilliant scarlet and other colors. Flrs. large 2 in across.

1247—*Complete Mixture of varieties listed*.

*SLENDER FLOWER*—*Leptosiphon*, ha, 6 in.

1139—*French Hybrids*. Many fine colors.

1142—*LEPTOSYNE Complete Mixture*, hhp. Fine single and double yellow cut flowers.



## TAHOKA DAISY, B, C.

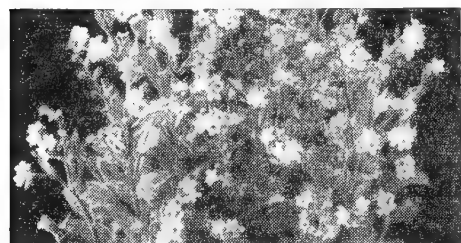
1250—*MACHAERANTHERA Tanacetifolia* (*Tahoka Daisy*), ha, 1 ft. Aster-like blue flrs.

1343—*GOLDEN TASSEL*, ha, 8 in. Bright yellow.

1253—*MALLOW*, *Malva Moschata*, hp, 2 ft. Large clusters, fragrant flrs. Blooms 1st season. Mixed.

## UNICORN PLANT

1326—*MARTYNIA, Probosoides*, hha, 18 in. Easily grown, vigorous prostrate plants. Flowers in showy terminal racemes of white, yellow and violet. Queer seed pods.



## FORGET-ME-NOT, *Myosotis*, S.

These are modest but very beautiful flowers for a moist, shady place, and are easily started from seeds. Flrs. in clusters. Blooms in 6 weeks.

1372—*Alpestris Alba*, hb, 1 ft. Pure white.

1373—*Alpestris Blue Eyes*, hb, 1 ft. Early, hardy and floriferous; bright blue, white eyes.

1374—*Alpestris Rosea*. Fine pink.

1376—*Alpestris Stricta Grandiflora*, *Royal Blue*, hb, 12 in. Flrs. beautiful deep royal-blue color, plant compact and pillar-like. One of the finest.

1377—*Blue Bird* (*Oblongata Perfecta*), 12 in. Fine deep blue. The best *Myosotis* for rock gardens.

1371—*White Bouquet*. *Alpestris stricta grandiflora alba*. Pure white, hb, 12", B. Pillar like.

1370—*Pink Bouquet*, 12" pink

*Victoria*, 9 in. B. Lovely desirable compact plants.

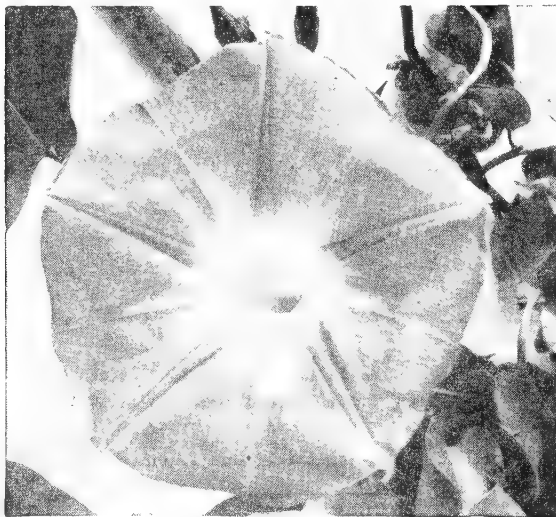
1380—*Heavenly blue*; 1381—*Rose Delight*; 1383—*Mixed*.

1384—*Complete Special Mixture of Myosotis*.

# Park's Morning Glories

hha, D.

BLOOM ALL SUMMER LONG



## IPOMOEA HEAVENLY BLUE IMPROVED

452—*CARDINAL CLIMBER*. *Ipomoea Quamoclit* *Sloteri*, 30 ft. Glorious, quick growing, free flowering annual climber, attractive fern-like foliage; clusters of white throated tubular flowers. 25 seed 10c; 1-8 oz. 25c.

1056—*Brazilian Morning Glory*. (*I. Setosa*), hha, 30 ft. Big clusters of red flowers, early.

640—*Cypress Vine Mixed* hha, 25 ft. Flowers bright and pretty, stay open all day.

1044—*MILE A MINUTE VINE*. *Ipomoea Alamo*. Very fast growing and thrives in hot dry situation. Dainty cut leaved foliage makes a lacy tracery of green for the pretty creamy 1½ in. flowers with wine-red centers. Open all afternoon. 25 seeds 10c.

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## 1049 HEAVENLY BLUE

This wonderful *Ipomoea* is in all respects superior to the *Ipomoea Grandiflora* *Rubro-coerulea* (*Heavenly Blue*). The deep intense blue color shades lighter toward the center. The flowers are large, profuse and continuous, coming into bloom much earlier than *Heavenly Blue* and having a much longer blooming period; flowers stay open nearly all day. 1-16 oz. 10c; 1-4 oz. 30c.

Note—A neighbor had a fence covered with this lovely *Ipomoea* and Nov. 10th at mid-day it was a riot of bloom. **Park.**

## CORNELL

1046—*Ipomoea Cornell*. Robust growth and extra large 4-4½ in. flowers of an intense carnelian red with an eighth inch border of glistening white which gives the flower particular distinction. Free blooming and splendid. Pkt. 10c; 1-8 oz. 25c.

## MOON VINE

1052—*Ipomoea Noctiflora*, hhp, 20 ft. Large pure white flowers deliciously scented, open in the evening and fill the night air with their perfume.

592—*Convolvulus Minor Royal Ensign*, A bright novelty of royal blue.

## PEARLY GATES

1053—*All American 1941*. Famous *Heavenly Blue* *Morning Glory* sported and gave us a beautiful *Pure White* *Glory* with all the fine characteristics of habit, size and lasting qualities for which it is noted. We recommend as one of the better things *Glorious Pearly Gates*, 20 seed 10c; 1-8 oz. 25c.

## WHITE MAGIC

1C59—*WHITE MAGIC* — Very early, exceptionally free flowering, large fleecy white flowers, blending to cream deep in the throat, making a heavy cascade of flowers.

## CULTURE

When planting *Ipomoea*, select dry sandy location and do not fertilize unless heavy foliage is desired. If sown in the open ground, wait until soil has thoroughly warmed up. If started indoors for earlier plants, use tiny individual pots and transplant without disturbing the roots. Soak seeds to hasten germination.



## GIANT DOUBLE

1047—*Double Rose Marie*. Distinct and different is this double *Morning Glory* of clear deep rose. Quick growing, free flowering and early, *Rose Marie* is loaded with large flowers with exceptional keeping qualities. 50% double. 40 seeds 10c; 150 seeds 25c.

## GIANT PINK, NORTHERN LIGHT

1048—Large, beautiful, lasting flrs of lovely pink adorn the vigorous growing bright green vine. A vine to please. Pkt. 10c; 25c.

## SCARLETT O'HARA

1055—*Scarlett O'Hara*—1938 Gold Medal Winner. Splendid Novelty *Morning Glory*, *Scarlett O'Hara* is a graceful, fast-growing vine, bearing the large, gorgeous rich deep wine-red flowers in abundance all summer. On sunny days, the flowers remain open until noon; on cloudy days, until sunset. The only Gold Medal Winner in five years. 20 seed 10c; 1-8 oz. 25c.

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Women's Sizes  
Small—Medium—Large  
All-Leather. Soft As Kid. Durable. Dirt-Proof. Easy to wear. Washable. A real value at \$1.35 a pair. Postpaid.



## FOUR-O-CLOCK

## MIRABILIS, hhp, 2 ft.

A beautiful tuberous rooted flower, the plants branching and literally covered every evening and morning with brightly colored flowers. Flowers open about 4 p. m. Hardy south; needs protection North. Sunloving.

1362—*Complete Special Mixture of Mirabilis*

## NEMESIA, hha, B.

1421—*Giant Strumosa*. Large flowered. hha, 1 ft. Mixed.

1422—*Dwarf Strumosa*. 8 in. Mix.

1424—*Complete Mixture Nemesis*.

## MONKEY FLOWER —

Everblooming, bright and beautiful for summer beds, winter pot plants.

1358—*Red Emperor*. Large red.

1359—*Tigrinus*, 12" Mixed, tigered.

1357—*Queen's Prize*, hhp, 6 in. Very large flrs richly spotted, pot plant.

1355—*Musk Plant* (*moschatus*), hp, R. A spreading creeper. Musky odor. Flrs. light yellow.

1360—*Mimulus*. *Complete Mixture*.



MONKEY FLOWER  
QUEEN'S PRIZE

## PEACHES and CREAM

## or Mignonette Reseda Odorata, hha. C.

This delightful flower will make your mouth water with its delicious fragrance of *Peaches and Cream*. A fine, easily grown, beautifully airy flower for beds, cutting. Blooms July-Aug.

1345—*Bismark*, 1 ft. Considered one of the best, an improved *Matchet*; robust, compact, with huge spikes of richly scented red bloom.

1346—*Common*, *Sweet-scented*. The original sort bearing masses of small terminal racemes; flrs having the richest perfume; also fine for bees.

1350—*Matchet*, 15 in. This is the best of *Mignonettes*; plants strong, compact. Mixed.

1352—*Complete Mixture of all Mignonette*.

## EVENING SCENTED STOCK

1334—*Matthio's Bicornis*, ha, 18 in. This little plant will perfume your whole garden with its delicious fragrance, and its profusion of small lilac flowers. Graceful.

## ICE PLANT

### Mesembrianthemum

1341—*Crystallinum*, *Ice Plant*, ha, 8 in. Stems are covered with icicle-like protuberances which flash in the sun. A fitting setting for the dainty white flowers borne so profusely. Thrives in the rockery.

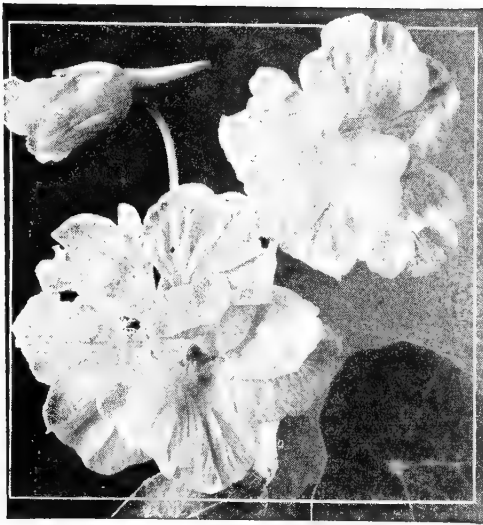
1342—*Tricolor*. For edging, rockery.

1340—*Criniform*. **LIVINGSTON**

**DAISY**, ha. Dwarf. Bright. Rockery.

1323—*Mesembrianthemum*. Mixed.





Double Giant Golden Gleam—Pkt. 10c

## SWEET SCENTED NASTURTIUMS hha, C,D,B,

Nasturtiums will bloom 1 month after sowing and continue until frost. They are easily propagated and will produce a wonderful display of pretty foliage and long stemmed flowers. Fine to cut for arrangements, beautiful in beds or borders, and may be used in salads. Sharp cooling fragrance. A sunny location and light soil are requisites. If soil is too rich, luxuriant foliage will result with a scarcity of flowers.

1399—**GOLDEN GLEAM.** Rich golden yellow. Fine for beds and splendid cut flowers.

1401—**INDIAN SUMMER.** Orange buff flrs. dark foliage.

1400—**INDIAN CHIEF.** Scarlet, dark foliage.

1402—**MAHOGANY GLEAM.** Deep mahogany red.

1407—**SUNRISE.** Deep lemon yellow.

1406—**SCARLET GLEAM.** Gleaming scarlet.

1408—**SUPREME.** Salmon cerise.

**PRICES FOR ABOVE:** Pkt. 10c; Large Pkt. 25c; oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.15.

1409—**GLORIOUS GLEAM HYBRID MIXTURE.** A wide assortment of beautiful colors carefully blended. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 95c.

**OLD FASHIONED FRAGRANT GIANTS**  
1411—**PARK'S FRAGRANT GIANTS.** The old-fashioned Nasturtiums of our childhood have been greatly improved, but they still recall the hallowed associations of bygone days. The vines are stronger, the flowers larger, more fragrant, and the colors and markings more varied. A choice blend of best colors. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 95c.

## LEAVES OF GOLD

1388—**CLOTH OF GOLD.** Golden-yellow leaves contrast with the bright scarlet single flowers.

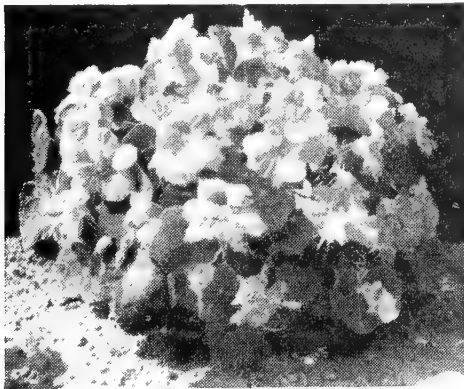
1412—**TOM THUMB MIXED.** 1 ft. Dwarf single flowering in brilliant diversity of colors.

1410—**LOBB'S TRAILING MIXTURE.** Trailing and spreading habit, bright flowers in profusion.

1413—**CANARY BIRD VINE.** hha. Climbing to 8 ft. This unique flower is in the Nasturtium family but is surely related to its Canary Bird friend. Grow a trellis full this year.



Canary



## WONDERFUL DWARF GEM

1397—**MIXTURE** contains a full color range of the lovely semi-double large-flowered sweet scented hybrids. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

**DWARF DOUBLE HYBRID NASTURTIUMS.** Dwarf, compact, globular plants 1 ft. high, 1½ ft. across. Double flrs. on long stems. Fine for borders or for cutting. Fragrant.

1389—**BLACK BEAUTY.** Black leaves, deep scarlet flrs.

1390—**DELIGHTFUL.** Salmon cerise, full double.

1391—**FIREBRAND.** Bright scarlet, dark foliage.

1392—**GOLDEN GLOBE.** Golden yellow.

1394—**MAHOGANY GEM.** Velvety mahogany.

# Iceland Poppies

(PAPAVER NUDICAULE) hp. c, b.

Bloom from May until frost.

These are old fashioned flowers that Mother used to grow, but how showy and beautiful they are. The improved strains we offer are giants in size and will be the brightest thing in your garden. Sow in Spring or Fall. Hardy perennials that bloom the first season and last for years.

1515—**Imperial Jewels.** Outstanding new and regally splendid is this Iceland Poppy mixture. It contains a marvelous range of colors of light to deep and pastel pink shades and the most glorious scarlets and reds. Long stems, huge beautifully frilled and fluted flowers. Our finest mixture.

1512—**Fakenham Hybrids,** 18 in. Finest of all Iceland Poppies; giant flowers on long stems come in wonderful range of colors.

1518—**Pastel Art Shades.** A complete blending of harmonious soft shades. All dainty ruffled and frilled.

1511—**Empress.** Shades of salmon, rose and pink. Companion to Emperor.

1514—**Golden Wonder.** Immense new Poppy, bright golden yellow.

1519—**Red Cardinal.** The first red in the Iceland class. Long stemmed giant flowers of brilliant cardinal red.

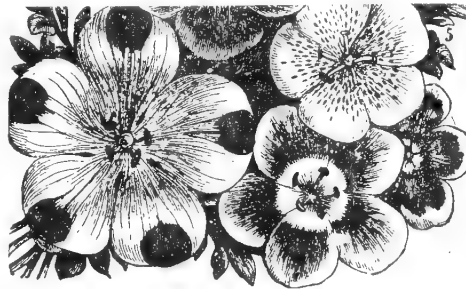
1520—**Sandford's Giant Strain.** Immense flrs. strong stems. Varied colors.

1522—**White Emperor.** Pure white Giant.

1524—**Complete Mixture** single varieties.

## ANNUAL SINGLE FLOWERING

1501—**American Legion,** ha. 2 ft. (Improved Flanders Field.) Rich orange scarlet with white Maltese Cross.



## BABY BLUE EYES

Nemophila, ha, 6 in. B.S..

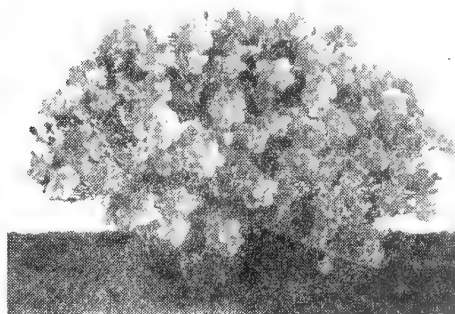
Very beautiful dwarf annuals, each plant stooling out and forming a clump; covered with pretty cup-shaped flowers about an inch across. Seeds sown in very early spring will produce a profusion of flowers over a long period. Sown in Autumn the plants bloom early in Spring and are wonderfully showy in a bed. Splendid for semi-shaded spot, ground cover for bulb bed, border or rockery.

1425—**Insignis Marginata Blue.** Wide open blue.

1426—**Insignis Marginata Lilac.**

1427—**Insignis Marginata White.**

1428—**Complete Special Mixture** of Nemophila.



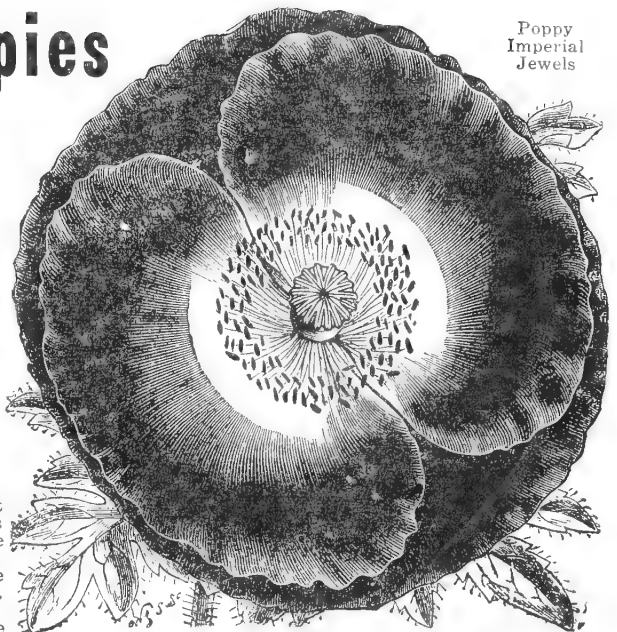
Nierembergia Hippomanica

## DWARF CUP FLOWER

NIEREMBERGIA (Hippomanica) B. S.

1444—**Purple Robe,** hhp, 6 in. (Cup Flower.) The finest new bedding plant of a decade. Dwarf, compact and symmetrical; smothered by hundreds of sparkling deep lavender flowers. Your border will not be complete without Nierembergia "Purple Robe." Begins to bloom in July.

1443—**N. Coerulea,** 4 in. A little more dwarf and of lighter lavender blue color. Blooms in about 15 weeks from sowing and is in continuous flower until frost. Flrs. 1¼ in. diam. center of yellow.



Poppy  
Imperial  
Jewels

## GIANT DOUBLE ANNUAL POPPIES

1508—**Double Shirley,** Begonia Flowered, ha, 12 in.

Fully Double, frilled flowers like Begonia. Lovely mix.

1509—**Complete Mixture** of double Shirley.

1504—**Carnation-Flowered.**

Splendid dwarf plant, full-double flowers, fine stems.

1500—**Fantasia All Double**

Mixed. Rich mixture many odd, fanciful colors.

1502—**Cardinal Poppy** mixed.

1507—**Double Paony-flowered,** ha, 18 in. Huge double

flrs. not unlike a paony in appearance; the petals are broad and over-lapping. They are of easy culture and satisfactory.

White, Brilliant Rose, Salmon Pink, Cardinal Red, Creamy Yellow, Pansy Violet in mixture.

1538—**Shrimp Pink,** delicate

1537—**Complete Mixture** of Double Poppies.

## LOVE

## IN A MIST

Nigella, ha.

N. Damascena "Miss Jekyll", ha, 18 in.

One of the finest blue cut flowers. Its color is rich distinct blue

in contrast with the delicate green involucre which veils the petals.

This flower is delightfully different. 1450—Blue, 1451—White, 1452—Complete Mixture.

1453—Hispanica, (Dragonfly), 15-18 in. Rich blue.

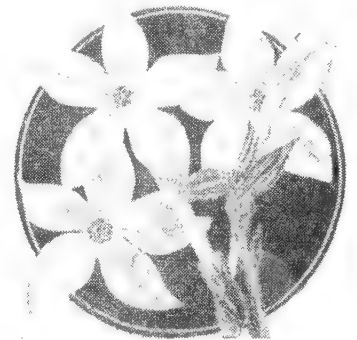


## SENSITIVE PLANT

1356—**Mimosa Pudica,** hha, 2 ft. Pretty pinnate, fern-like leaves that react to your touch by folding themselves and drooping. The prostrate spreading plant bears delightfully dainty pink airy flrs.

## NOLANA, CHILIAN BELL-FLOWER

1454—**Blue Ensign,** Lanceolata. Ultramarine blue, with contrasting white center. Striking, lovely.



## SWEET SCENTED NICOTIANA,

hha, C. B. Flowering Tobacco. Blooms June-Aug.

1436—**Affinis,** 32 in. Pure white, tuberosc scented blooms produced abundantly on bushy plants.

1437—**Affinis Hybrida Grandiflora,** 18 in. Rose, red, crimson, and creamy white are some of the colors included in this fine large flowering deliciously fragrant hybrid mixture.

1438—**Crimson Bedder,** 15 in. Dwarf new bedding annual. Plants are well branched and compact and are covered with rich crimson bloom.

1433—**DAYLIGHT,** 1½-2 ft. In this new Hybrid, the white blooms remain fully open during even the most brilliant sunshine. Scented. Pkt. 25c.

1435—**Crimson King.** Deep crimson.

1434—**WHITE BELL** (Sylvestris). Pure white bell shaped. Very ornamental.

1441—**Suaveolens,** 18 in. Great white panicles.

1442—**Complete Special Mixture,** all Nicotiana.

Nicotiana prefers a light rich soil and needs a warm sheltered location.



Phlox Gigantea Rosy Morn

## ANNUAL PHLOX

### PHLOX DRUMMONDII, ha, B, C.

This is one of our best annual phlox. At the North, plants should be started in beds or boxes and transplanted, but in the South the seeds may be sown in Spring or Fall where plants are to bloom. They like rather sandy, rich soil, and will grow in any garden. Seedlings begin to bloom when small and continue throughout the season.

#### NEW GIANT FLOWERED

##### Drummondii Gigantea

The largest flowered of all annual phlox. Individual florets are  $1\frac{1}{4}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, the size of a half dollar. Plants grow 10 in. tall and are fine for edging, bedding, borders and cutting. 1665—Rosy Morn. 12 in. Huge flowers of gay refreshing soft rose pink with white eye. 1666—Red Glory. The brightest color in Phlox. Brilliant red, creamy eye. 1667—Salmon Glory. (Silver Medal 1940.) Enormous trusses of pure salmon-pink flowers with distinct creamy-white eye. 1659—TETRA RED. 20 in. The tallest of annual Phlox. Large trusses of deep red. 1664—Art Shades. An outstanding variety, giant flowers in a wonderful range of soft pastels. 1668—Gigantea Mixed. Hybrids. The above and other colors blended in Superior Mixture of largest flowering Phlox. Pkt. 10c; 1/32 oz. 35c.

#### IMPROVED GRANDIFLORA

Taller (1 ft.), bearing large trusses of bright flowers in a complete color range, but individual florets are not as large as the Gigantea type above. Exceedingly showy in beds or borders. 1669—Alba, glistening pure white. 1674—Light Blue with white eye. 1673—Isabellina, lovely pale primrose. 1670—Chamois Rose, salmon-rose. 1676—Yellow with Brown Eye. 1675—Rose with yellow center.

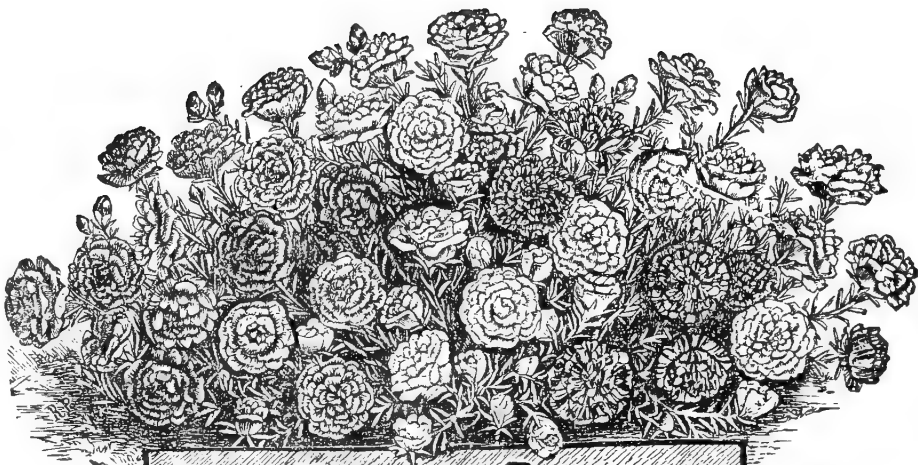
Above colors: Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.  
1677—Finest Mixed Colors. Pkt. 10c; 1-16 oz. 35c.

#### NEW DWARF COMPACT

Dwarf 8-9 in. plants which are of compact habit suiting them well for beds or edging. Free flowering, rich and varied colors. 1680—Apricot Yellow. 1681—Fireball, scarlet. 1682—Snowball, pure white. 1683—Splendid Mixed.



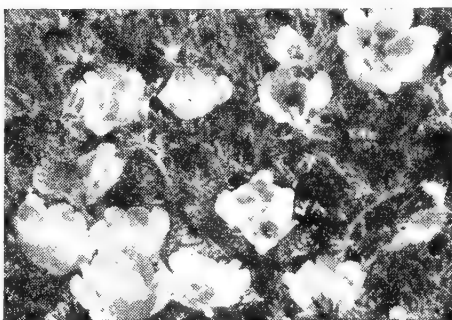
1678—PERENNIAL PHLOX New Hybrids, hp. These are among our choicest perennials, succeeding in almost any soil and position and bearing large round showy flowers, the petals overlapping each other. We offer finest mixed colors. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c. 1-8 oz. 50c. 1679—Decussata. Park's Giant Flowered Mixed. Flowers larger than New Hybrids. Complete mixture. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60c.



## ROSE-FLOWERED PORTULACA.

### ROSE MOSS

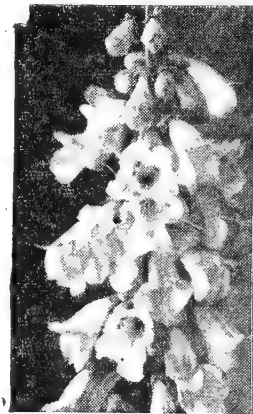
Ha, 6 in. These are among the most beautiful and free-blooming of our hardy annuals. The plants are low spreading, and the seedlings begin to bloom when small and increase in size and beauty with age. The single flowers are cup-shaped, and the double appear like little double roses. In a bed the display is wonderfully attractive throughout the Summer. The plants like sandy soil and a sunny exposure, grow and bloom freely and are never troubled with diseases or pests. They will endure more hot sun and drought than almost any other flowers. Portulacca begins blooming 8 weeks after planting.



Portulaca (Single)

#### QUEEN ANNE'S LACE

1764—Daucus Carota. Finely cut foliage, filmy, lace like white flowers. Fine for mixed bouquets.



Penstemon Sensation

#### OTHAKE

1460—Polypteris hookeriana, hha, 2 ft. A rare and handsome robust annual with decorative flowers of bright rose color in delightful bell shaped clusters. Thrives best in warm sandy soil.

#### PENSTEMON, B.

1557—Sensation. hp, Gloxinia - flowered. Large spikes of large flowering tubular blooms. Colors pink to crimson, richly marked. The finest Penstemon from Seeds.

1555 — Gloxinoides Lge. Flowered. Mix. 1553 — Complete Mixture of Annual Penstemon.

#### BLUE BELLS, Phacelia

1660—Campanularia, California Blue Bells, ha, 8 in. Branching little plants bearing a profusion of lovely gentian blue bells, for beds or pots.

#### GIANT VELVET FLOWER SALPIGLOSSIS

Blooms from midsummer to frost. GLOXINIA FLOWERED EMPEROR

One of the finest cut flowers. The large richly colored flowers are borne on long 3 ft. sturdy stems and keep for days. 1796—Complete Mixture.

#### DWARF PRINCESS

Just the thing for a colorful border. Plants are bushy, compact in habit, growing to a height of 24 inches. 1795—Complete Mixture. Pkt. 10c.

#### STAR OF TEXAS

1901—Xanthisma Texanum, 18 in. Large, single daisy like flowers with pointed, light canary-yellow petals. Plant neat and bushy. Fine for dry places. Grows  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall and is excellent for cutting. A bright, new and different flower.

#### DOUBLE ROSE FLOWERED PORTULACA

1698—PRIZE STRAIN. Double Grandiflora Formula Mixture containing pink, scarlet, yellow, salmon, white, and rose. See color picture back cover. Pkt. 10c; 1-32 oz. 30c; 1-16 oz. 50c; 1-8 oz. 90c.

The following varieties: Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.  
1693—Alba, White. 1697—Rosea, Rose;  
1694—Aurea, Yellow; 1698—Grandiflora Mixed.  
1695—Coccinea, Scarlet;

#### SINGLE FLOWERED PORTULACA

1700—Large-flowered Single. Many fine colors in Mixture. Pkt. 10c; 1-32 oz. 20c.

1699—Novelty Portulaca Jewel. A dazzling, free flowering crimson flower, four times the size of the ordinary single varieties. Pkt. 25c.

#### EVENING SCENTED PRIMROSE

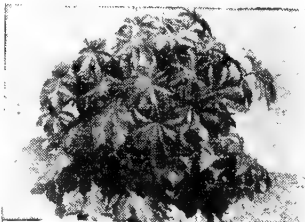
Oenothera, hbb, B, May, June, July  
Perfumes the evening air with its delightful odor. Bright, attractive and easily grown. 1455—Drummondii. Dwarf plant. Deep golden flrs borne in profusion. Delightfully sweet. 1456—Lamarckiana (True Evening Scented Primrose), 3 ft., hb. Large bright yellow flowers. 1457—Macrocarpa (Missouriensis), 12 in., ha. Soft light yellow. Best in dry sandy soil. 1458—Complete Special Mixture Oenothera.

#### CASTOR BEAN

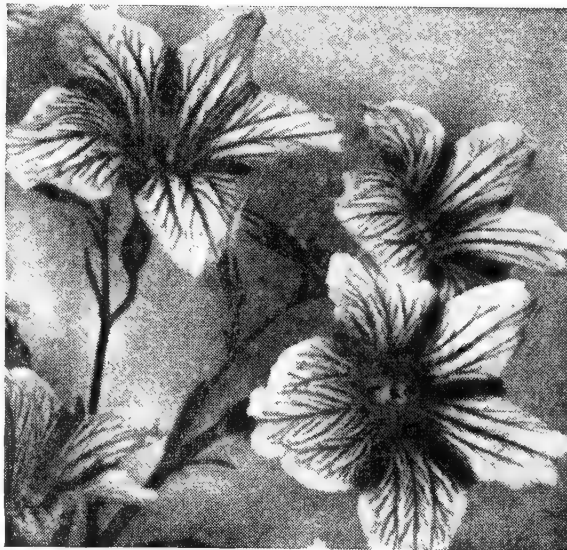
##### Ricinus, hha.

A tall branching plant clothed with large tropical leaves often tinted rose or crimson. They are showy in groups, and always attractive. Easily grown.

1776—Black Beauty. (Cambodgensis). Dark. 1777—Dwarf Red Spire. Low growing plant with attractive red leaves and red pods. 1779—Zanzibarensis, 8 ft. Large-leaved; beautiful seeds of various colors and variegations. 1780—Complete Mixture of Ricinus.



Ricinus Zanzibarensis



Salpiglossis—Giant Velvet Flower





1815—Azorea Grandiflora, hp, 3 ft. Long racemes of deep blue. Good cut flower.

## Salvia or Scarlet Sage

Scarlet Sage will be one of the most brilliant bedding plants in your garden. The plants bloom from early summer until frost and may be used in beds or borders for edgings or pot culture. There are both tall and dwarf varieties which make for more varied uses. Treated as an annual, it is best to plant the seed early indoors in boxes of light rich soil in sunny window.

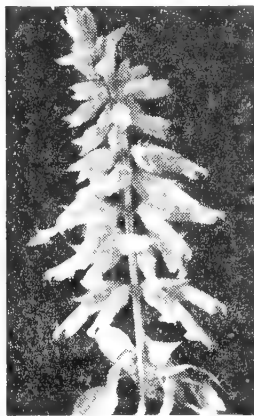
### SALVIA SPLENDENS

- 1805—America (Globe of Fire), hha, 1 ft. Early, dwarf and compact for low borders or edging. Dazzling scarlet.  
1806—Bonfire (Clara Bedman), 18 in. Compact erect habit, profuse scarlet.  
1812—FIREBRAND (Early Harbinger), 18 in. Between Blaze of Fire and America in earliness of flowering.  
1808—Sluis Brothers' Primus. Extra early blooms 4 weeks before Zurich. Finest bedding variety dwarf compact. Free blooming. Bright scarlet. 25c.  
1811—Compacta Blaze of Fire. Earliest and dwarfest of all except Primus.  
1814—Complete Mixture. Scarlet Salmon.

1810—Tall Splendens, 3 ft. Tall profuse blooming, long spikes of glorious scarlet from early summer until frost.  
1826—BABY SALVIA. (Michrophylla). Small brilliant red flowers with contrasting dark green foliage. 14-16 in.

### BLUE AND PASTEL SHADES

- 1816—Blue Bedder (Farinacea type), hhp, 3 compact, bright Wedgewood blue. Gloriously bright. Fine for beds.  
1817—ROYAL BLUE. (Farinacea type), hhp, 3 ft. A new and even brighter and deeper blue than Blue Bedder.  
1824—Blue and Pastel Mixed.  
1825—All Salvia Red and Blue Mix.



Salvia Splendens

### SALVIA PATENS

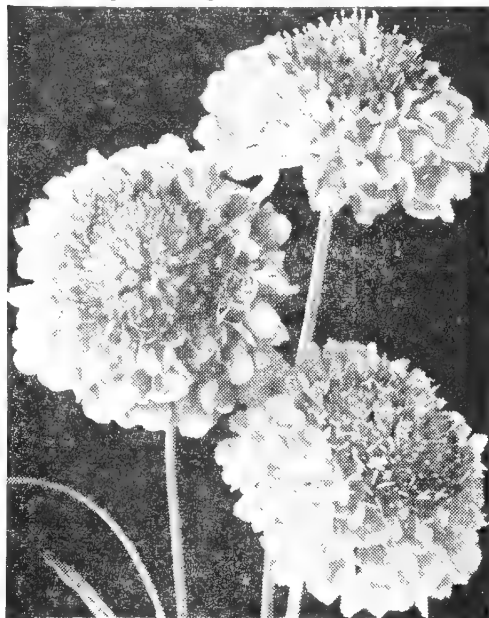
- 1820—Patens Intense Blue, 2 ft. Free blooming.  
1821—Patens Mauve Queen. A new break in Salvia Patens of most striking deep mauve color. The color is extremely attractive and as a bedding plant it has no equal. Pkt. 25c.

## Giant Pincushion

### ANNUAL SCABIOSA

Beautiful — Sweet-scented — Popular  
Finest of Cut Flowers

When started from seeds in Autumn, the plants will endure the Winter and begin to bloom early the next season. If planted in early Spring and set 8 in. apart in a bed, a grand display of beautiful flowers may be enjoyed during the late Summer and Autumn. We offer only the best varieties which are the results of many years of painstaking selection.



### PINCUSHION SCABIOSAS, 2½'-3'

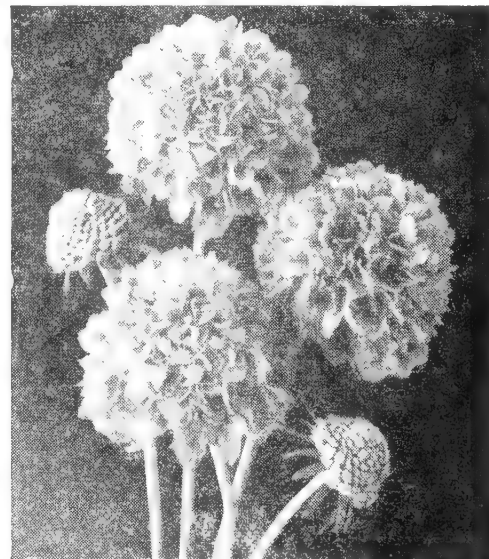
ALL TALL STEMMED AND FINE

Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c

- 1853—ATROPURPUREA—Rich purple.  
1854—AZURE FAIRY. Beautiful celestial blue, fine, long, strong stems. Excellent with Rose.  
1855—Blue Cockade. Deep azure blue flowers of perfect form, free bloomer, good stems.  
1856—Cherry Red. Described by its name.  
1857—Fire King. Gorgeous fiery scarlet, brilliant.  
1858—King of Blacks. Deep reddish-black.  
1859—MAROON and WHITE. A lovely bi-color.  
1860—Orchid Shades. Orchid-lavender to purple.  
1861—Peach Blossom. Big double pink flowers.  
1863—Rosette. A glorious new shade of deep rose heavily suffused salmon. Prize winner.  
1864—Salmon Beauty. Perfection itself. Vigorous long stems, large flowers and beautiful color. Lovely pure salmon self.  
1865—Shasta Improved. Pure white of enormous size. Snowy.  
1866—Sulphur Yellow. A valuable addition to these fine cut flowers. Large double bloom, light creamy yellow.

1868—PARK'S GIANT HYBRIDS. New improved strain of huge double flowers in the loveliest shades. An extra choice mixture.

- 1867—Scabiosa Tall Large Flowered. Complete Mixture of above.  
1848—Scabiosa Dwarf Double Finest Mixed. For Perennial Scabiosa refer to Page 51.



Imperial Giant Blue Moon

## Ten Week Stocks

Matthiola incana, ha, C, B.

Nothing is quite so satisfactory for outdoor beds and borders as Dwarf Ten Week Stock or Beauty of Nice, both blooming in 10 weeks from seed. For Cut flowers in late summer and fall, Early Colonial, Giant Excelsior, and Giants of Calif. are excellent. They should be planted in early spring. All may be grown inside in winter and make delightful pot plants.

1943—DWARF TEN WEEK STOCK MIXED. (Gilliflower) 12 in. This compact branching type produces large double flowers, deliciously scented. Fine for beds, borders, or window boxes.

1923—BEAUTY OF NICE (New Beauty) 18 in. Most popular class. Pyramidal plants, abundant flowers, Complete Mixture.

### STOCK EARLY COLONIAL

20 in. Basal branching giant type

- 1935—Rose red; 1936—Lavender; 1937—White.  
1938—Bright rose; 1939—Mixed.

1941—CUT AND COME AGAIN (Perpetual Giant Perfection). Mixed. 20 in. Long spikes, very double flowers. A choice mixture of colors.

TALL GIANT IMPERIAL MIXED. 26 in. Early. Branching plants, long stems, large double fls.  
DOUBLE GIANT EXCELSIOR. 30 in. Strictly non-branching with extra large very double flowers. Best for cutting.

1924—Gardenia. Pure white; 1826 Complete Mix.  
1940—GIANTS OF CALIFORNIA MIXED. 36 Extra early, extra large flowers, extra long stems, high percentage of doubles.

### RUDBECKIA (Coneflower), C

- 1785—Eclipse. Double Golden Yellow.  
1790—Starlight, 3 ft. primrose to mahogany.  
1788—My Joy. Golden orange dark central cone.  
1786—Hirta Autumn Tints, hp, 3-3½ ft. Giant flowers in bronzy autumn shades.  
1789—Purpura Hybrids. hp. 4 ft. Rich, red, varied; long-blooming, showy and beautiful.  
1791—Splendid Complete Mixture.



### CREeping ZINNIA

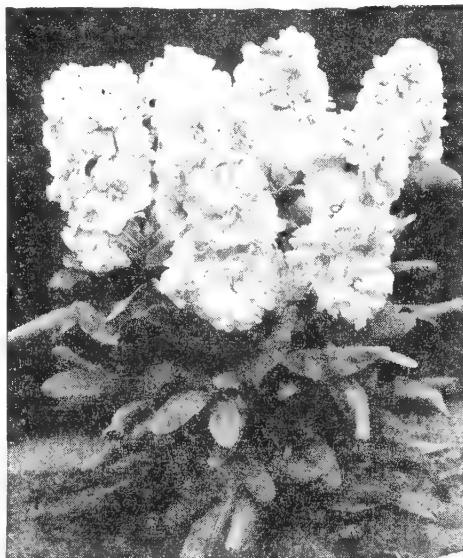
1830—Sanvitalia Procumbens fl. pl. Creeping Zinnia, ha, 6 in. A charming little trailer thriving in almost any situation and covered with bright double golden flrs, desirable for beds, edgings and the rockery.

### TORENIA

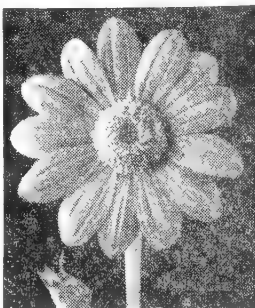
Wish Bone  
2028 Fournieri. Improved Large-flowered, hha, 1 ft. One of our loveliest, most easily grown pot or border plants. Blue with golden throat.  
2027—Alba. White. Limited supply. One packet to a customer—10c.  
2029—Mixed Torenia.



Torenia Fournieri



Dwarf Ten Week Stock



Tithonia Fireball

### TITHONIA

Mexican Sunflower

- 2025—Speciosa, hha, 12 ft. Tall many branched plants bearing in late summer many long stemmed flaming scarlet flowers.  
2024—Fireball, 8 ft. brilliant vibrant orange scarlet petals in gorgeous contrast to the clear yellow disk. Long stemmed flowers from base up and fine even habit.

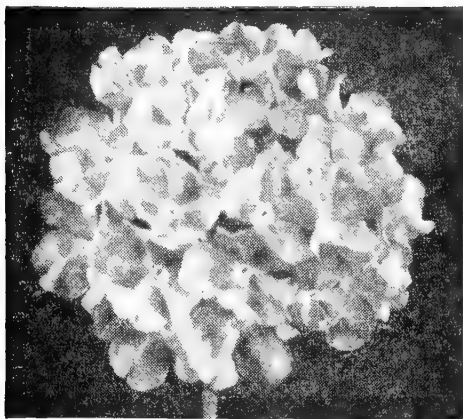
### SCABIOSA DWARF IMPERIAL GIANTS

- 1850—Peace, 2 ft. (1941 Bronze Medal A.A.). Perfectly formed pure white ball-shaped fluffy 1½ in. flowers are borne on the long stems of this sturdy plant. An attractive addition to the garden and very choice for cutting.  
1849—Heavenly Blue, 2 ft. (Bronze Medal 1940 A.A.) The semi-tall plants with long strong stems bear a profusion of round lovely azure blue 1½ in. flowers from mid-summer until frost, if kept cut. Fine for beds.

1851—Imperial Giant Blue Moon, 3½ ft. Full double ball shaped flowers are borne on 42 in. strong cutting stems. Flowers are large and of excellent substance.

1852—Imperial Giants Mixed. A trial ground mixture from the originator of "Blue Moon" with many colors in this new type.





## VERBENAS—(Vervain)

**Deliciously fragrant—Always in bloom**

Hhp, C, B. Brilliantly colored, fine for beds, borders, edgings, and cutting. Seed started outside in May will bloom from mid-summer until frost, started early inside, June until frost. Fine for covering the bare spot left by early spring bulbs or ground cover among summer or fall bulbs. The varieties offered are all Hybrid, large flowered.

### MAMMOTH HYBRID GRANDIFLORA

hhp, 15 in. Mammoth balls of large florets. Easily grown from seeds, best for beds.

2055—**Cream**. Rich cream white, large trusses.

2049—**Lavender Glory**. Lavender, cream eye.

2050—**Pure White**. A very even strain of snowy pure white. Florets are in huge clusters.

2051—**Roseglow**. An entirely new and unusual color. Deep rose, shading to orange scarlet in the individual floret without an eye.

2052—**Beauty of Oxford Hybrids**. Rose to pink shades, a beautiful blend. Large trusses.

2053—**Royale**. Rich deep blue with beautifully contrasting creamy yellow eye. Giant flowers.

2054—**Spectrum Red**. Brightest of all Verbenas, intense rich scarlet, made brighter by the absence of an eye. Flowers more than 1 in. across.

2056—**Special Mixture of Hybrid Verbenas**.

### 2063—ROYAL BOUQUET MIXED

18 in. This is a distinct type with erect growing habit. Branches form a compact cluster. Flowers are of the Grandiflora type, borne on long stems and excellent for cutting. Complete Mixture.

### DWARF COMPACT—4-6 in.

2059—**Fireball**, Scarlet; 2060—**White**;

2061—**Complete Mixture**. Dwarf compact.

### VERBENA SPECIES

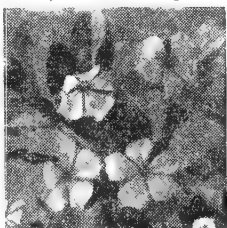
2057—**Bipinnatifida**. 18 in., hhp, 2 ft. Lavender.

2062—**Erinoides** (Moss Verbena). 12 in. Purple.

### PERIWINKLE—

A splendid everblooming 12 in. plant for beds in summer and pots in winter. Flowers Phlox-like in shape, but waxy in texture, and abundantly produced.

In the north the plants must be started early for beds. They like rich sandy soil and sunshine, but will endure dry or wet weather better than most other plants.



Periwinkle

2069—**Rose**; 2070—**Twinkles**, blush pink, red eye.

2071—**White**; 2072—**Park's Exquisite Mixture**.

2108—**Kermesina**. Bright crimson.



Wahlenbergia

Begins blooming in August from seed sown outdoors in April.

**Grandiflora** 12 in. Tufted Hairbell). Large flowering. 2118—**Blue**; 2119—**White**; 2120—**Mixed**.

2123—**Praecox**. Early June bloom. Large blue.

2124—**Wahlenbergia Complete Mixture**.

2110—**VIRGINIA STOCK** (Malcolmia Maritima). 1 ft. ha. Showy blooms all summer, winter pot

745—**SWEET WILLIAM ANNUAL MIXED**. 1 ft. RAINBOW DROPS (Viscaria). 1 ft. B. Sow in spring or fall. Colors very bright.

2111—**Blue**; 2113—**White**; 2116—**Hybrid Mixture**.

## Part II Everlasting or Straw Flowers

Make even your darkest room cheerful and bright all during the dreariest winter days by filling your vases with the colorful everlasting flowers listed on this page.

### SUNRAYS, ACROCLINIUM

**ACROCLINIUM** (Helipterm Roseum). A handsome everlasting; the plant branching and blooming freely. One of the best and most popular for dyeing to use in winter bouquets.

18—**Sensation Giants**. ha, 24 in. New. Extra large 3 in., completely double flowers in clusters on tall stems. The colors range from light pink to medium rose. Pick in bud for winter bouquets.

16—**Large-flowered Double Hybrids**. ha, 18 in. extremely large double flrs. upon long 14 to 20 in. stems come into blossom in a few weeks.

17—**Roseum**. Pretty rose pink corymbs.

19—**Best Mixed**. Color range to suit the most fastidious. Rich shades of salmon, apricot, pink, rose, cerise, with white and creamy tones.

795—**ECHINOPS Ritro**, Globe Thistle. hp, 5 ft. Splendid everlasting with globular violet-blue heads of flowers and finely cut leaves.



STRAWFLOWER

966—**STRAWFLOWER**, *Helichrysum monstrosum* fl. pl., ha, 30 in. Very beautiful large double flrs., start readily from seeds and are of the easiest culture; showy in beds and one of the best for drying. Will grow in any good garden soil, free and continuous blooming. White, red, yellow, rose, crimson, salmon, sulphur, in a fine mixture.

489—**CUPID'S DART**, *Catananche coerulea*, bright lavender flowers with dark eyes.

### MONEY PLANT (Lunaria Biennis), hb, 4 ft.

(Also known as Honesty, St. Peter's Penny.)

1222—**Munstead Purple Giant**. Hardy attractive plants bearing purple flrs. and flattened paper partitioned seed pods. Fine winter decorations.

1221—**Alba**. White Money Plant. White flowers.

1238—**Variegata**—Variegated foliage, bright crimson flowers. Novelty.

1223—**Mixed white and purple**.

85—**AMMOBIUM Alatum Grandiflorum**. hb, 3 ft. Very showy white everlasting. Branching plants, double flrs. Keeps best when cut early.

### 017—EVERLASTING COLLECTION

One 10c pkt. each of the following Mixtures: Acroclinium, Amaranth, Echinops, Strawflower, Cupid's dart, Gypsophila, Money plant, Statice, Ammobium.—Value 90c for only 75c.

## LARGE GOURDS

**LAGENARIA**. This species includes many varieties of hard-shell gourds of various shapes and sizes, the flrs. are white, showy, fragrant and pretty.

913—**Bird's Nest**. Hour glass shape, very graceful.

915—**Giant Bottle Gourd** known as Chinese Water Jug.

914—**Cave Man's Club**. Knobby, long handle club-shaped.

916—**Hercules Club**. Fruits club-shaped; sometimes 6 ft. long.

917—**Penguin, Powder Horn or Calabash**, large and incurved like a powder horn.

918—**Siphon or Dipper**, a handsome vine, fruits having a long neck; used for dippers, bird houses.

919—**Sugar Trough**, huge, used as lard tubs.

920—**Large Turk's Turban**. A giant ornamental.

921—**Complete Mixture Lagenaria Gourds**.

900—**Dish Rag Gourd**, *Acutangula*. hha, 15 ft. Long showy fruit; fibre used as dishcloth.

**WALLFLOWER Sweet Scented**.

2127—**Early Parisian**. hb, 1 ft. Single. Mixed.

2125—**Double Early Wonder**. hp, 2 ft. Double flowers in 5 months from seed. Blooms freely in winter window. Finest Mixed.

2037—**MONARCH OF THE VELDT** (*Venidium Fastuosum* Hybrids). 2 ft. ha. 4" daisy. Pastels.

2034—**URSINIA Anethoides** New Hybrids. ha, 1 ft. Aster like Daisies. Orange, yellow, apricot.

2033—**TUNIC FLOWER**, *Tunica saxifraga*. hp, 9 in. Free blooming border plant, flowers lavender.

### GLOBE AMARANTH

894—*Gomphrena Globosa* Mixed. ha, 2 ft. Beautiful free and continuous blooming annuals of easy culture. Splendid for beds and a first class everlasting retaining its form and color indefinitely. Thrives in any soil and will endure drought and hot sun. Mixture includes purple, rose, white, lavender, and other colors.



### GYPHOPHILA

**GYPHOPHILA** (Angel's Breath). ha. Small flowered plants, the flrs. appearing as a light cloud, being held on thread-like stems. Graceful and almost indispensable for bouquets.

931—**Crimson**. 18 in. Striking and lovely rich red.

930—**Grandiflora Alba**. Largest flowered pure white. A wonderful variety. Handsome, free-flowering and in great demand.

932—**London Market**. 2 ft. Splendid large white flowers. Make several sowings.

933—**Rose Cloud**, 18 in. Masses of lovely rosy flrs.

934—**Complete Special Mixture of Gypsophila**.

### SEA LAVENDER

**STATICE** (Sea

Lavender). Showy

in the garden. Ex-

cellent for bouquets

either green or dry.

1910 — **Bonduellii**,

hha, 3 ft. Yellow,

good border and a

fine everlasting.

1911—**Caspia**, hp, 2

ft. The most beauti-

ful of all perennial

Sea Lavenders; lav-

ender flrs. in big

sprays.

1912—**Dumosa**, hp,

2 ft. New. Gianthead

of silverygrey flowers.

1914—**Latifolia**. hp, 2 ft. A valuable garden flower retaining its place for years in rich soil and sunny bed. Flrs. very numerous, produced in branching panicles, blooms June to August.

1920—**Suworowii**. hha, 18 in. Long branched spikes of bright rose flowers gracefully curved.

1921—**Mixture of above species of Statice**.



Statice Caspia

### STATICE SINUATA, ha.

This is the best known form of Statice and very useful. Used by florists as a basic everlasting.

1915—**Pastel Shades**. 2½ ft. Delicate non-fading.

1916—**Rosea**. 3 ft. Rich rose, robust plants.

1917—**Snowwith**, 3 ft. Tall, fine pure white.

1918—**True Blue**. 2½ ft. Large heads, deep blue.

1913—**Kampfs Tall Dark Blue**. 3 ft. Indelible blue.

1919—**Statice Sinuata Complete Mixture**.

830—**COMPLETE SPECIAL MIXTURE OF EVERLASTINGS**.

Note: For curing Everlasting Flowers, cut Composite varieties just as their buds begin to open, Gypsophilas and Statice when flowers are well-formed, and Gomphrena only when matured. Other varieties may be dried by hanging in small bunches, heads down, tied loosely with rubber bands. Keep in a dry place out of direct sunlight.

## SMALL GOURDS

**OVIFERA GOURDS**. These are vines with tendrils and yellow flrs., bearing small fruits of various sizes, shapes, and colors.

901—**Bicolor**, green and golden yellow, variegated.

903—**Holy Crown**. Odd fingered variety, the Crown of Thorns or Ten Commandment Gourd.

902—**Miniature Bottle**, round dark green, gold stripes.

904—**Nest Egg**, the shape and color of an egg.

906—**Ornamental Pomegranate** (Queen's Pocket Melon). Deliciously perfumed. Fine Lady's charm.

905—**Orange**, orange like in size, shape, color.

908—**Spoon**, small, ballshaped, long slender neck.

909—**Turk's Turban**. Bright, rounded like a turban.

912—**Extra Small Varieties Fancy Mixed**.

910—**Warted Sorts**, small gourds in mixed colors and shapes. Interesting novelty.

911—**Complete Mixture Ovifera Gourds**. All of the interesting shapes and colors.

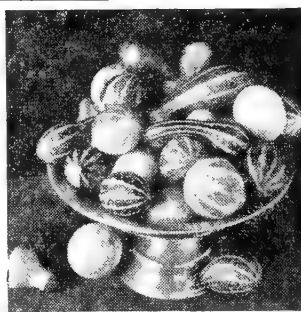
922—**COMPLETE MIXTURE of Large and Small gourds**.

**MOMORDICA**. 1364—**Balsam Apple**, hha, 6 ft. Showy yellow flrs., rich orange apple-shaped fruits.

1365—**Balsam Pear**. Pear shaped fruits used in making salves.

381—**CALICO or RAINBOW CORN**. Attractive vari-colored seeds, novelty decorative ears.

V90—**NOVELTY STRAWBERRY POPCORN**. Tiny 1½ in. strawberry shaped ears crowded with small deep crimson kernels. Try it. Pkt. 15c.



911—Small Mixed Gourds.

## An Annual Garden For Beginners

The following varieties are fully described in the Annual section of this book. All are easily grown, some bloom the entire season, others bloom at different times, so that with these seeds you can have blooms in your garden from spring until frost. If grouped in a border with the low growing things in front, and the taller things to the back, you will have an attractive border all season, and flowers to cut as well.

**ALYSSUM** Little Dorrit. 5 in. Border or edging. White.

**BALSAM** Camellia Fwd. Mix. 2 ft. Border.

**CANDYTUFT**. Hyacinth Flwd. 18 in. Border, white.

**COSMOS**. Sensation Cardinal. 3 ft. Cutting, red.

**MARIGOLD** Gigantea, 3½ ft. Border and cutting. Orange.

**NASTURTIUM**. Golden Gleam. 12 in. Border, cutting. Yellow.

**NIEREMBERGIA**. Purple Rose. 12 in. Border. Lavender.

**PANSIES**. Swiss Giant Mixed. 8 in. Edging.

**PETUNIAS** Hybrida. 1½ ft. Bedding. Mixed.

**PHLOX** Grandiflora Mixed. Cutting. 1 ft.

**SCABIOSA**. MIXED. 3 ft. Cutting.

**SALVIA TALL** Splendens. 3 ft. Red.

### SPECIAL OFFER

097—ONE PACKET OF EACH OF

THE ABOVE 12 varieties for \$1.00.

098—One Giant Packet of each of the above varieties for \$2.00.

### ANNUAL FLOWER MIXTURES

The following mixtures contain a wide variety of annual flower seeds selected for their adaptability for special purposes. See pg. 13 for other mixtures.

646—**BACKGROUND FLOWER MIXTURE**. Tall sorts for backgrounds.

645—**EDGING AND BORDER MIXTURE**. Very dwarf, compact plants suited to use as an edging or low border.

644—**FRAGRANT CUT FLOWER MIXTURE**. Excellent cut flower sorts which also have delightful fragrance. Pkt. 10c.

### SEEDS OF RARE AND FINE SHRUBS

You can easily grow your own Nursery stock from seed at a fraction of the cost of plants. Patience is required for many are tardy in starting. Some have very hard seed coats which need filing. They should be planted in a retired bed which will not be disturbed for two or three years, and removed as they germinate.

2401—**STRAWBERRY TREE** (Arbutus unedo). hhp. 8 ft. Evergreen with white flowers, scarlet fruits.

2402—**Sweet Azalia** (Arborecens). 10 ft. Flowers white or pinkish.

2403—**Flame Azalia** (Calendulacea). 10 ft. Large flrs. Orange-yellow to scarlet. May. Hardy to Pa.

2404—**Hinodagiri**. Bright rose flrs.

2405—**Indica**. 6 ft. 3" flrs. red to pink in June.

2406—**Royal Azalia** (Schlippenbachii). 15 ft. Large three in. flrs. red to pink in June.

2407—**Swamp Azalia** (Viscosa). Flrs. white to pink, funnelform, fragrant. June, July. Deciduous.

2408—**MIXTURE** of above Azalias.

2416—**DEODAR CEDER**. Bluish green, evergreen conifer.

2418—**REDBUD or JUDAS TREE**.

2450—**MOUNTAIN LAUREL** (Kalmia latifolia). hp. 10 ft. Rose.

2456—**NORWAY SPRUCE**. (Picea abies). hp. 150 ft.

2460—**MUGHO SWISS MOUNTAIN PINE**. Prostrate conifer.

2461—**WHITE PINE**. hp, 100 ft.

2431—**WHITE FLOWERING DOGWOOD** (Cornus florida). hp. White flowers, scarlet fruit. Hardy.

2433—**CORNELIAN - CHERRY DOGWOOD** (Cornus mas). Clusters yellow flrs. before lustrous lvs.

2440—**ROCKSPRAY** (Cotoneaster microphylla). hp. 3 ft. Evergreen shining leaves, flrs. white, fruit red.

2441—**PYRAMIDAL ITALIAN CYPRESS**. Evergreen, pyramidal. hp.

2445—**GINKGO Biloba**. (Maidenhair tree). 40 ft. hp.

2446—**KENTUCKY COFFEE TREE** (Gymnocladus). hp. 100 ft.

2444—**ENGLISH HOLLY** (Ilex aquifolium). Hardy to N. Y.

2447—**COMMON JUNIPER**. (J. communis). 40 ft. Evergreen.

2449—**SPICEBUSH** (Lindera benzoin). Hp. 15 ft. aromatic.

2462—**PITTISPORUM Tobira**. hhp. 10 ft. Large leathery shining evergreen leaves. Fragrant flrs.

2475—**FRAGRANT SUMAC** (Rhus aromatica). hp. 8 ft.

2479—**SNOWBALL BUSH** (Viburnum opulus). 12 ft. hp. Large fluffy balls of white flrs. May and June.

2480—**TREES AND SHRUBS MIXED**. Pkt. 25c.



124—**Queen's Wreath**, Antigonon

124—**ANTIGONON** Leptopus,

Queen's Wreath. hhp, 30 ft. Lovely rose-pink flrs. Hardy south, protect north of Va.

24—**ALLEGHENY Vine**. 24 ft. Adlumia. hb. Graceful, pink.

**ARISTOLOCHIA** 190—**Tomentosa** Dutchmanspipe. hp, 30 ft. Big leaves, golden flowers.

179—**Elegans**, Calico Flower. hhp, 8 ft. Most easily grown pot vine.

305—**BEAN** Scarlet Runner. hha. 15 ft. Rich showy flowers and big pods of edible beans.

**CLEMATIS** or **VIRGIN'S BOWER**. These are hardy climbing vines. Large, colorful flrs. open out flat, and transform a trellis or stump into a sea of color.

2420—**Alpina**. 6 ft. Violet blue. 25c per pkt.

2421—**Alpina siberica**. 6 ft. White, Pkt. 25c.

563—**Davidiana**. hp, 4 ft. Stout erect habit, clusters of lilac blue.

2422—**PLUME Clematis** (Flammula). 15 ft. Great many frd. panicles of fragrant white flowers.

2425—**Sweet Autumn Clematis** (paniculata). 30 ft. Flowers in panicles, white, fragrant. Blooms Sept., Oct.

567—**Golden Clematis** (Tangutica). 10 ft. Giant flrs. 4" across of bright golden yellow, in June and fall.

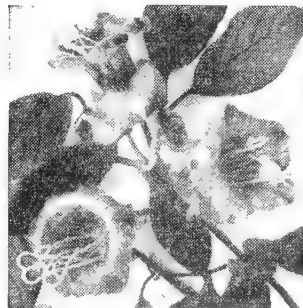
2429—**Italian Clematis** (Viticella). 12 ft. Two inch flowers of blue or purple; Yellow stamens. June to Aug.

565—**Hardy Perennial Blend**.

568—**COMPLETE MIXTURE** OF ABOVE Clematis. Pkt. 25c.

## Part III—ORNAMENTAL VINES

Afford coziness and charm for your home. Fine for screens.



577—**Cobaea Scandens**. Pkt. 10c

**COBAEA** Scandens, Cathedral Bells. hha, 30 ft. A beautiful rapid-growing free flowering vine producing large graceful bells throughout the summer. Will grow in sun or shade, has no enemies.

575—**Blue**. 577—**Mixed**.

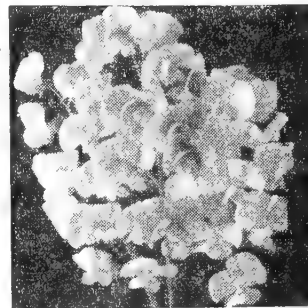
1361—**FLAG OF SPAIN**. Mina Lobata. hha, 20 ft. Flowers crimson, orange.

578—**COCCULUS Carolinus**. Moonseed. 12 ft. Sarsaparilla. Bright scarlet berries for Xmas.

1751—**KUDZU Vine**, Pueraria. Jack and the Bean Stalk. Vigorous splendid foliage, fast.

2133—**WISTERIA**. hp, 30 ft. Blue.

573—**ANNUAL CLIMBERS** mixt.



1133—**Lathyrus Latifolius** Pkt. 10c

**LATHYRUS** Latifolius, Perennial Sweet Pea. hp, 6 ft. Sweet-Pea-like clusters for cutting or covering stumps. 1130—**Pink**; 1131—**Red**; 1132—**White**; 1133—**Mixed**.



2022—**Thunbergia** Mixed Pkt. 10c

**Black-eyed Susan**, Thunbergia. Beautiful easily grown vine, blooms from early summer until frost. Bright colors from white to orange in mixture.

941—**HEDYSARUM**. Red French Honeysuckle.

334—**BIGNONIA** Radicans, Campsis. hp. Wall vine, red trumpets.

## HARDY PERENNIAL PLANTS

We offer the following fine, healthy, hardy perennial plants. PLEASE SPECIFY SHIPPING DATE DESIRED: We shall ship as near the date you wish as weather conditions permit. Otherwise we shall use our best judgment.

### TWO YEAR OLD FIELD GROWN PERENNIALS.

**DELPHINIUM PACIFIC GIANTS MIXED**. Pictured in color on the front cover. 60c each; 3 for \$1.50; 12 for \$5.00. Delivery after 15 April.

**MERTENSIA VIRGINICA** (Virginia Bluebell). 2 ft. Smooth leaves and nodding clusters of blossoms; pink buds, drooping blue flowers. Likes half shady location and plenty of humus. Blooms in early spring. 45c each; 3 for \$1.25.

**LIRIOPE MUSCARI EXIFLORA**. 1 ft. A new hardy, evergreen wonder plant. Grows in deep shade or full sun, in any soil. Flowers similar to Grape Hyacinth, but larger, are borne profusely in late summer and fall. Attractive grass-like foliage. Useful as ground cover, borders, porch boxes. 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$15.00.

**HARDY PERENNIAL PHLOX**. A mixture of fine varieties of which we do not have enough to list separately. 40c each, 3 for \$1.00, 12 for \$3.75.

### Fine Two Year No. 1 ROSE BUSHES

Any of the following at \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.70; 10 or more at 85c each, Postpaid.

#### HYBRID TEAS

**ETIOLE DE HOLLANDE**. Bright red, large, fragrant.

**EDITOR McFARLAND**. Clear brilliant pink, slightly suffused yellow. Intensely fragrant.

**GOLDEN DAWN**. Sunflower-yellow turning to lemon.

**JULIEN POTIN**. Rich yellow.

**K. A. VICTORIA**. Exotic, pure white.

**PINK RADIANCE**. The best pink.

#### CLIMBING ROSES

**CLIMBING TALISMAN**. Gold and copper.

**PAUL'S SCARLET**. Vivid scarlet.

#### POLYANTHA or BABY ROSE

**CECIL BRUNNER**. Bright pink and white.

**PEONIES MIXED**. From our fine collection of named varieties of which we do not have enough to list separately. 3 for \$1.50.

## BEARDED IRIS

**A REAL BARGAIN**: A friend of ours, who is one of the best Iris growers in the country, has a field of Iris containing 55,755 plants. These plants are all of very good varieties, many of them being very expensive novelties. These plants would normally range in price from \$1.00 to \$10.00 per plant. Last winter, the labels on these plants were misplaced or destroyed by thoughtless, really criminal, pranksters. Therefore the plants cannot be sold under their proper names, and we are therefore able to make this bargain offer on these very fine Iris.

**MIXED IRIS**: 25c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.95; 100 for \$15.00.

**ORDER EARLY**. This offer is good as long as they last.

**We Pay All Shipping Charge On Plants Listed Above.**

## HARDY PERENNIAL ONE YEAR PLANTS

These are all healthy, one year old plants. While they are smaller than the 2 year old, transplanted stock listed in the right hand column, they afford you an opportunity to secure these varieties at truly bargain prices. We have not seen these plants bloom and cannot guarantee them to be 100% true to color or doubleness.

**SHASTA DAISY** (Chrysanthemum Leucanthemum) Dieners Giant Double. Full double flowers 5 inches across. About 75% will be double. 6 for \$1.00.

**SWEET WILLIAM** (Dianthus Barbatus). Double Mixed. Transplanted, field grown from seed of Double flowered plants. These will come about 60% double, so you will get a mixture of single and double plants. 6 for 75c.

**PYRETHRUM DOUBLE MIXED**. This mixture comes about 60% double, so the mixture will give you both single and double plants. 6 for \$1; 12, \$1.75.

See **FRONT COVER** for pictures and prices of one year old Delphinium, Pansy, Carnation, Columbine and Canterbury Bell plants.

# PARK'S PERENNIAL FLOWER SEEDS

for Permanence and Charm

These are valuable subjects of the flower garden, as most of them are not only showy and beautiful when in bloom, but will do service year after year for a long period, enduring cold, excessive rain and drought, regardless of neglect and improper attention. They are easily grown from seeds. Thorough preparation of bed and good care, will award you with lasting beauty.

Directions for making outdoor beds and sowing seeds are sent with every order.

**HP. HARDY PERENNIALS** are hardy plants which will live and bloom every year for a long period. Plants grow to the flowering stage each year and die down again to the roots which remain alive but dormant until the next season. They are very valuable for borders and cut flowers, and once established require less care than the annuals.

**HB—HARDY BIENNIALS** are those which bloom the second year from seed, then die. For a continuous display of this type, seed must be sown every year.

All Seeds: Pkt. 10c, 11 for \$1.00—Giant Pkt. 25c, 5 for \$1.00



Achillea, The Pearl

## ACHILLEA-YARROW

7—The Pearl, hp, 2 ft. A superior strain of this finest of perennials. Full double, pure white, blooms fine for cutting from Spring until frost.

6—Filipendulina, Parker's, hp, 2 ft. Robust in habit, large golden corymbs. Showy, fine.

14—Achillea mixed.

**ACONITUM** (Monk's Hood). hp. S. Elegant hardy perennials showing spikes of richly colored bloom, July, Aug. Sept. Often tardy.

11—Wilsoni, 3 ft. Large Spikes of rich blue flowers. The finest of Aconitums.

13—Napellus (Monks Hood), 4 ft. Bright blue.

12—Mixed Aconitum.

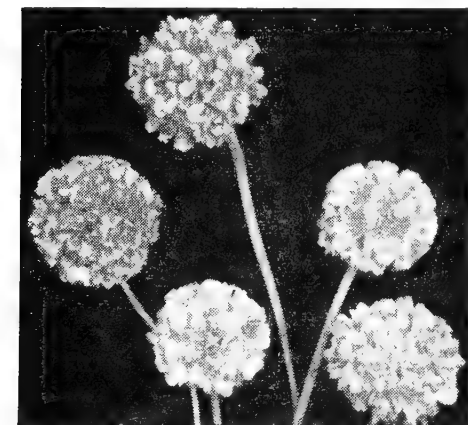
25—**AETHIONEMA** Cordifolium, (Lebanon Candytuft), hp, 8 in. Exquisite shrubby rock plant with flowers of pure pink. June, July.

**AGROSTEMMA**, 2 ft. hp. 51—**Atro-sanguinea**. Deep dark blood red phlox like clusters.

53—**Coeli Rosa**. (Rose of Heaven.)

54—Mixed.

58—**ALSTROEMERIA Aurantiaca**, hp, 3 ft. Tuberous lily-like plants. Flower orange streaked with red.



## ARMERIA—THRIFT

**ARMERIA**, (Thrift, Sea Pink), hp. Charming Spring and Summer flowering hardy plants, glorious in a bed, lasting well. Easy culture.

191—**Alpina**, 3 in. Bright rose color, compact tuft of foliage. The best Armeria.

193—**Formosa** (Sea Thrift), 1 ft. Rosy-pink flowers in great abundance in summer and autumn.

194—**Gigantea Giant Pink**, 1½ ft. Low growing plants with long stemmed 2 in. pink flowers.

195—**Grandiflora Hybrida**. Colors bright and varied. Flowers large and of fine substance.

196—Complete Mixture of Armeria.

## WINDFLOWER Anemone

106—**Coronaria St. Brigid**. Poppy flowered with finely cut foliage. Mixed colors.

**ST. BRIGID DOUBLE** in colors:

109—Scarlet. 110—Mixed Db.

**PULSATILLA**, hp, 6 in. Bears

lovely 3 in. flrs in April and

May. Likes sun. Rockery.

111—Violet; 112—White;

113—**Anemone Pulsatilla Mixed**.

114—**Anemone Complete Mix**.



Alyssum, Basket of Gold

## SWEET ALYSSUM

60—**A. Argenteum**, hp, 1 ft. Sil-

very foliage and yellow flrs.

66—**Montanum**, hp, 3 in. Small

sweet-scented golden flowers.

71—**Saxatile Silver Queen**, like

Compactum but sulph. yellow.

70—**Alyssum Saxatile Compactum**,

Basket of Gold, hp, 1 ft.

Bears masses of small bright

golden flowers in Spring; fine

for beds or rockery. Best one.

69—**Rockery Blend**. Special Mix.

## GOLDEN MARGUERITE

118—**ANODA Hastata**, Peren-

nial Opaleup, hhp, 5 ft. Big

lavender pink blossoms the first

fall. Needs winter protection.

**ANTHEMIS** 121—**Kelwayi**, 2 ft.

Very frilly cut airy foliage and

large 2 in. deep yellow flowers.

Bloom in Early Summer.

120—**New Art Shades**. A fine

mixture of many new colors

never before offered. Pkt. 25c.

122—**Tinctoria**, Ox-eye Cham-

omile, hp, 2 ft. Yellow, white.

123—**Mixture** of all Anthemis.



Arabis  
Aplina

## ROCK CRESS

**ARABIS** 180—**Alpina Grandiflora**,

hp, 8 in. One of the earliest

and most handsome of all spring

flrs, pure white in big clusters

all Spring, a glorious display.

182—**Spring Charm**. (Blephar-

ophilla). A rare species. Large

rosy purple flrs. Pkt. 25c.

181—**Alpina Rosea**, a new vari-

ety, bright rose colored.

183—**Mixture**—**Rock Cress**.



## MICHAELMAS DAISY

**ASTER**, Perennial, hp. These

are fine Autumn flrs mostly

blue and red shades. Among our

best perennials. Some bloom

well the first season.

246—**Alpinus Goliath**, 1 ft. Blue.

247—**Amellus**, 2 ft. Blue and

rose shades in fine mixture.

249—**Complete Mixture** Asters.



## AUBRIETIA, Rock Cress

**AUBRIETIA**, Rainbow Rock Cress, hp. Spreading plants that form a sheet of early Spring bloom, lasting for weeks; a gem for planting in crevices of rocks or walls; a cataract of color.

284—**Monarch Mixture**. New and one of the finest perennial introductions. Plants are dwarf, neat, compact and full flowering; the colors are exquisite in every conceivable shade. A veritable carpet of exceptional beauty. Sow seed in May, plants begin blooming the following Spring.

280—**Eryii**, 6 in. Large blue flrs. Fine Spring bed.

282—**Hybrida Grandiflora**, 6 in. Large flrs. of various colors: white, lilac, rose, dark red, blue.

283—**Leichtlinii**, 6 in. Carmine rose flowers.

285—**Purpurea**, 6 in. Deep purple flowers.

281—**Park's Glorious Regal Hybrids**.

287—**Violet Queen**. Deep violet, fine, new.

288—**Complete Special Mixture** of Aubrietia.

## KEYS AND NOTES

The varieties listed in Part IV are all hardy perennials or biennials, and may be sown in spring or midsummer. We recommend sowing perennial seeds in the Spring. Seeds germinate better in the cool weather than in the heat of mid-summer, and the longer growing period produces larger, plants which winter over more successfully.

THE HARDY PERENNIALS AND BIENNIALS LISTED IN THIS PART will bloom the second year from seed.

THE VARIOUS VARIETIES ARE KEYED. See page 13 for symbols.

## INTERESTING PERENNIALS

**AQUILEGIA**—Columbine. See pg. 3 and 6.

188—**ARISAEMA Triphyllum**, Jack-in-the-Pulpit.

Green flrs enclosed in white striped green leaf.

277—**ASTILBE Spirea Mixed**. Great panicles of

soft fluffiness in white, cream, pink, carmine.

205—**KINGS SPEAR Asphodelus lutea**, hp, 3 ft.

Fragrant yellow flrs in giant racemes. Part shade.

23—**ADONIS Vernalis**, hp, 1½ ft. Large yellow

flowers 3 in. across, in early spring.

189—**ARISTEA (Blue Brilliant)**. Rich blue flow-

ers. Hardy south but for pots in severe climates.

199—**ASCYRUM Stans**. (St. Peter Cross), hp.

Myriads of pretty yellow "cross flowers."

198—**ASCLEPIAS Tuberosa**.

hp 2 ft. Showy cluster of

orange and scarlet flowers in

summer. Brilliant.

187—**ARENARIA Montana**.

Sandwort. So dwarf it

forms a carpet in the rock-

ery or on walls, hp.

289—**AURICULA Kelway's**

Giant, hp, 1 ft. Very beau-

tiful hardy Spring-bloom.

Mixed.

302—**BAPTISIA Australis (False Indigo)**, hp, 2

ft. A strong-growing plant suitable for the border,

dark green, deeply-cut foliage and spikes of rich

indigo blue flowers.

335—**BOCCONIA Cordata**, hp, 5 ft. Plume Poppy,

panicles of chamois flrs, heart-shaped leaves.

336—**BOLTONIA Latisquama**. A good long-bloom-

ing perennial with blush pink daisy-like flow-

ers in Aug. and Sept.

344—**BRODIAEA Laxa (Triplet Lily)**. Great clus-

ters of lavender blue flowers on 18 in. stems.

547—**DUSTY MILLER**, Cineraria Diamond, hp, 2

ft. Showy silver foliage, flowers bright yellow.

391—**CAMASSIA**, Leichtlinii, Indian Lily, hp, 2

ft. Flowers star shaped, lavender. May-June.

450—**CANNA** hybrids. From robust plants.

517—**CENTAUREA MONTANA (Mountain Bluet)**,

1 ft. Large blue flowers, July-September.

520—**Perennial Mixed**. A well balanced mixture.

525—**CERASTIUM Tomentosum**, hp, 16 in. Silvery

foliage, snow white.



732—Plant from Rock Garden Pinks Mixed.

## DIANTHUS Rock Garden Pinks

One of the earliest flowers to bloom in the spring.

Pinks add dainty, colorful effect to your Rockery.

727—**Alwoodii**, hp, 18 in. A hybrid between Car-

nation and Pink, extremely floriferous, mixed.

726—**Allwoodii Alpinus**, 5 in. Blooms in 5 months.

Best Dianthus for rockery. Glossy leaves, large

pink flowers borne on four-inch stems.

728—**Arenarius (Sand Pinks)**. 6 in. Exquisitely

fringed, delicately scented, lovely white flowers.

729—**Caesius, Cheddar Pink**, hp, 6 in. Bright pink

flrs., a lovely plant for dry banks, rocks or walls.

733—**Knappi**. hp. Flowers in clusters, clear golden

yellow.

730—**Delight**. 9 in. The half-inch flowers are free-

ly produced in many lovely shades. Easy growing.

Blooms from June to October.

731—**Deltoides, Maiden Pink**, hp, 6 in. Creeping

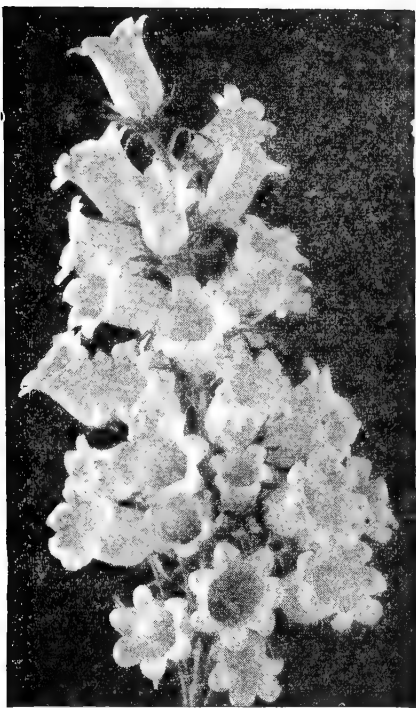
variety. Mixed. Blooms in June.

720—**Superbus Loveliness**, 12 in. An exquisite free-

flowering finely fringed Pink of rosy-lilac.

732—**Park's Special Mixture** of Rock Garden Pinks.





## Canterbury Bells

*Campanula Medium*, hb, 2 ft., B.M.

These are handsome biennials easily grown from seeds, and when in bloom, are the most attractive of garden flowers. They grow two feet high, becoming pyramidal little trees literally covered with large, exquisite bells, graceful in form and rich in color.

### DOUBLE FLOWERED

412—Blue; 413—Mauve; 414—Rose; 415—White. 416—Double Mixed, *Campanula medium*.

### SINGLE FLOWERED

417—Blue; 418—Deep Mauve; 419—Rose; 420—White; 421—Single Mixed, *Campanula medium*.

### CUP AND SAUCER

*Campanula calycanthema*, hb, 4 ft. Single cups 3 in. long, framed by "saucers" 3-4 in. across. The plants form perfect pyramids blooming for weeks. 403—Blue; 404—Lilac; 405—Rose; 406—White; 407—Complete Mixture.

See picture in color on inside front cover. 422—Complete Special Mixture. Single, double, and Cup and Saucer hardy biennial *Campanula medium*.

## GIANT BELLFLOWER

*CAMPANULA*, Perennial Bellflower, hp

These beautiful Bellflowers are hardy perennials, lasting for years. Many of them are fine for beds, and all are excellent garden flowers; they are of the easiest culture, growing in either sunny or partly shaded positions.

411—GARGANICA. 6 in. Rotate blue flowers, fine for window boxes, baskets, blooms all summer.

*PERSICIFOLIA GRANDIFLORA*. 2 ft. Beautiful large open bells in July, in terminal and axillary racemes.

423—DOUBLE BLUE. 424—Semi-double White, Single; 425—White; 426—Sky blue.

427—TELHAM BEAUTY. Huge blue bells.

428—SINGLE MIXED. 429—Single and Double Mixed.

*PYRAMIDALIS*, CHIMNEY BELL FLOWER. 5 ft. Big branching plants forming a pyramid of long racemes laden with charming blue or white bells. Blooms the entire summer.

430—Blue; 431—White; 432—Mixed.

433—ROCKERY BLEND. A choice mixture.

434—ROTUNDIFOLIA (Blue-bells of Scotland). hp, 1-1½ ft. Wiry stems, dainty clusters of blue, June to August.

*CARPATICA*. 1 ft. Beautiful large open long-stem bells; fine for beds and rockery. Blooms all summer.

408—Blue; 409—White; 410—Mixed.

435—Complete Special Mixture of Perennial *Campanulas*.

436—COMPLETE MIXTURE of Biennial and Perennial.

### CYTISSUS (Butcher's Broom)

Valuable for poor soil and sun.

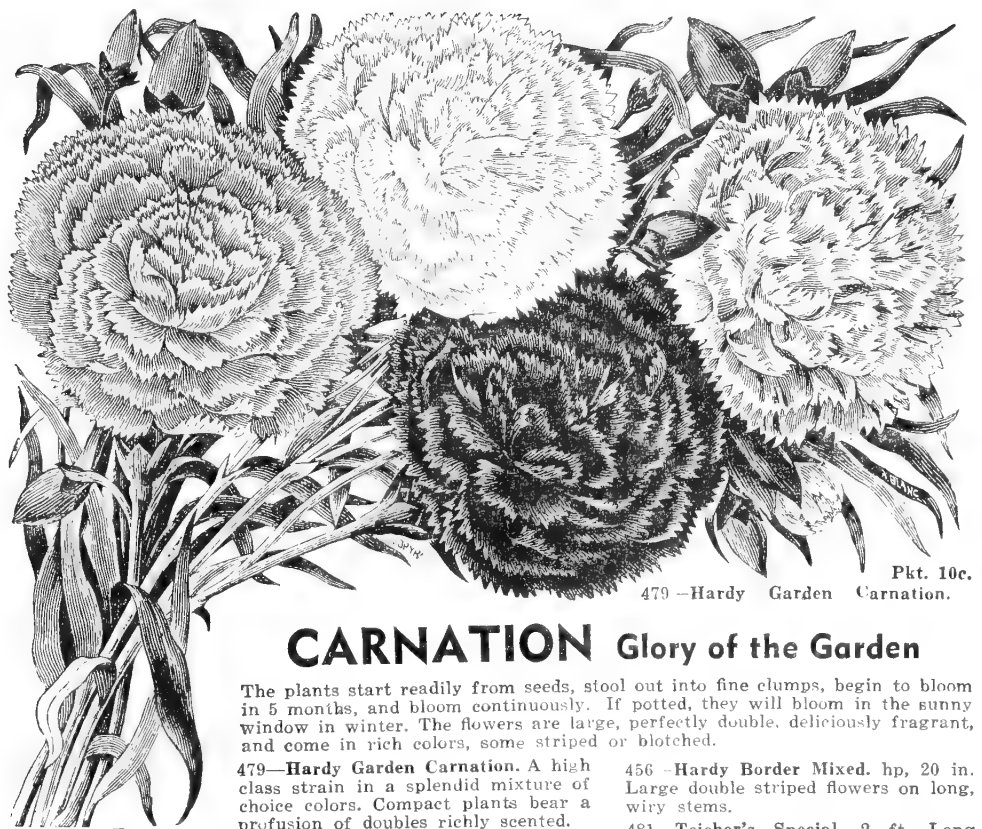
641—*Andreasus*. Long green stems with striking scarlet and gold flowers.

569—*CLEMATIS Recta* White. hp, 4 ft. A fine bush form of this popular plant. Produces many-flowered panicles of white in early summer. At home in the perennial border.

565—*CLEMATIS* Hardy Blend. Climbers and bush type.



*Carpatica*



Pkt. 10c.

479—Hardy Garden Carnation.

## CARNATION Glory of the Garden

The plants start readily from seeds, stool out into fine clumps, begin to bloom in 5 months, and bloom continuously. If potted, they will bloom in the sunny window in winter. The flowers are large, perfectly double, deliciously fragrant, and come in rich colors, some striped or blotched.

479—Hardy Garden Carnation. A high class strain in a splendid mixture of choice colors. Compact plants bear a profusion of doubles richly scented.

480—Perpetual or Tree Carnation. 1 ft. Double mixture of large and deliciously fragrant flowers.

468—Dwarf Double Early Vienna, 15 in. For edging.

473—Glory of the Garden. Complete Carnation Mixture.

456—Hardy Border Mixed. hp, 20 in. Large double striped flowers on long, wiry stems.

481—Teicher's Special. 2 ft. Long stemmed large flowered. Special blend.

482—Trial Ground Mixed. Containing all classes and colors, many of them new. Pkt. 25c.

859—FRINGED GENTIAN, *Gentiana Crinita*. Mirror of the Sky. hp, S. R. Flowers of exquisite charm, with deeply fringed petals in delightful misty colorings, sky blue to indigo.

858—*Gentiana acaulis*. 4 in. Blue Gentian of the Alps. hp. Forms sheets of dark blue. The finest for rock garden.

840—FUNKIA or Hosta Coerulea, Blue Plantain Lily. hp, 18 inch. Clumps of massive glossy leaves make an attractive foundation planting or give a definite finish as a lawn edging. Flowers blue in long loose racemes. July to August.

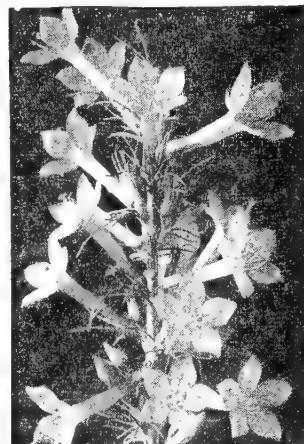
### DOG-TOOTH VIOLET

*Erythronium*. hp, 6 in. R. Richly mottled foliage and quaint, bright flrs. make this worthy of a shady corner in your garden. 804—Pink Beauty. Rich lavender pink. Blooms in May.

### DICTAMNUS Fraxinella

Flame Flower or Gas plant. hp, 2 ft. Both the loose spires of flowers and the delightful lemon scented foliage makes this old-fashioned perennial necessary to every garden. On sultry summer evenings oil emitted as vapor by the flowers will flash when touched off by match. Lives for generations.

763—White; 764—Purple; 757—Mixed.



*Gilia Coronopifolia*

883—*GILIA Coronopifolia* 3 ft. Also known as *Ipomopsis Elegans* (Standing Cypress). A choice and lovely biennial that should be better known and used. Tall leafy spikes with many flowers of a rare and rich shade of red.

555—CHELONE barbata, hp, 3 ft. C. A fine cut flower, close relative to the Penstemon Mixed.

DESERT CANDLE or EREMURUS or Foxtail-lily. 800—Hybrid Species Mixed. hp, 8 ft. B. C. May, June. Clothed for half its length with close-set starry blooms which last for several weeks. Most showy tall border or Florist cut flower.

789—*DORONICUM Caucasicum*, Leopard's Bane. hp, 18 in. Blooms in early spring. Showy golden flowers.

### BLEEDING HEART

or Lyre Flower. hp, 2 ft. B. S 759—*Dielytra Spectabilis*. Graceful pendant sprays of beautiful heart-shaped rose-colored flowers in May.

760—Eximia. R. Rose pink with rounded spurs. Will bloom all summer in semi-shady spot.

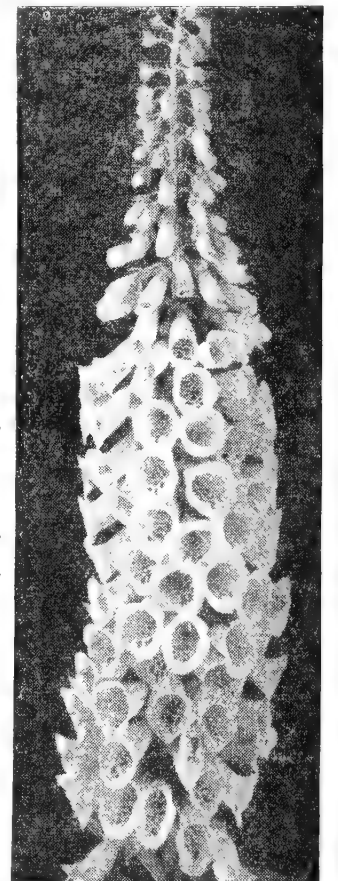
801—*ERYNGIUM Amethystinum* Sea Holly. hp, 3 ft. Fluffy amethyst blue flrs., spiny leaves. July, August.

827—*EUPHORBIA Myrsinites*, (Spurge). hp, 4 in. Gray trailer, large heads of yellow bloom.

825—*Corollata*, Wild Baby's Breath, 18-36 in. Creamy white. 829—Mixture of *Euphorbia*.

*EUPATORIUM* Hardy Ageratum. Blooms August to frost.

824—Fraseri. hp, 18 in. White.



*Digitalis Gloxiniaflora*. Pkt. 10c

## DIGITALIS—Foxglove

Foxgloves are beautiful hardy biennials easily raised from seeds. The elegant nodding flowers are produced in upright racemes and are very showy in beds or borders. Background plants. Jun, July.

766—*Gloxiniaflora*. 4 ft. Handsome long big trusses of *Gloxinia*-like bloom. Many flowers open at once. We offer a choice mixture of rose, white, purple and yellow.

767—Yellow Queen (*Gloxinoides Isabellina*) 3 ft. Long, open flowers of bright yellow, spotted.

765—Rose Queen. (*Purpurea rosea*). Rose.

770—Shirley. 3 ft. Giant, long upright racemes of huge flowers in finest colors.

769—*Purpurea Monstrosa*. Special Mixture of purple, white, rose.

771—Complete Special Mixture.

## GEUM or AVENS, B.R.

Easy to grow perennial of the Rose Family, erect and dwarf. Fine for cutting and adapted to the rock garden, or border. Blooms from May to October. At its prime in June and July.

867—Lady Stratheden. hp, 2 ft. Rich golden yellow ball shaped flowers. Long stems.  
868—Mrs. Bradshaw. hp, 2 ft. Large double brilliant glowing orange scarlet flrs.

869—Prince of Orange. Early bright golden orange, a lovely new sort.  
866—Hybrid Mixture of Geum. Much in demand.  
870—Complete Mixture.

## BABY'S BREATH or GYPSOPHILA

The perennial Baby's Breath is a very long-lived, bushy plant which produces innumerable misty white flowers in early summer. Fine to lighten bouquets. hp, C, B.

936—Oldhamiana (New). 42 in. Autumn-flowering rose-pink flowers. Award by Royal Hort. Society. Dainty.

937—Pacifica. hp, 3 ft. The plants branch and are smothered with thousands of exquisite little pink flowers.

939—Repens Rose. New 6 in. Smothered with rose flowers.  
938—Paniculata. 3 ft. Best known Baby's Breath. Tiny white flowers cover the slender stems in July-Aug.  
935—Double Flowered. 3 ft. Showy in beds, fine to cut. Double white.

940—Mixture of above and other perennial Gypsophilas.

## HOLLYHOCK

The majestic Hollyhock holds a high place in the garden. Plant in groups against your evergreens or as background for beds or tall borders (Althea Rosea).

### HOLLYHOCK CHATER'S DOUBLE

Hp, 6 ft. B. Deservedly the most popular of Hollyhocks, for the tall spikes are covered with fully double 5 in. flowers. Following the Delphinium in the border show, and in bloom from July until frost if flowers are kept picked.

1005—Complete Mixture of the best colors including purple, scarlet, pink, yellow, white, rose, and some with variegations. The following most popular separate colors: 996—Apple Blossom; 1001—Pure White; 998—Scarlet; 1003—Sulphur Yel. 1007—Double Begonia Flowered. 5 ft. Wonderful novelty with large 5 in. double fringed edged flrs. beautiful pastel shades.  
1008—Fringed Mixed. (Imperial Giants).  
1013—Triumph Exquisite. 5 ft. Fine shades.  
1010—Mammoth Allegheny. 11 ft. Giant spikes. Double flowers.  
1014—Newport Pink. 6 ft. Royal Hort. Soc. prize-winner. Delightful double, pure pink.  
1011—Perennial Types Mixed.  
1009—Indian Spring. (Silver Medal). Fine annual coming into bloom in 5 mths. from seed. 4 ft. plants. Semi-double 5 in. flrs.  
1006—Double Annual Hollyhock Mixed.

976—HELLEBORUS Nigèr, Christmas Rose, hp, 15 in. Excellent bright colored foliage and large attractive white flowers appear in late winter or early spring.

947 — HELIANTHEMUM Mutabile, Rock Rose, hp, 1 ft. Showy dwarf shrubby evergreen. Forms a dense mass of foliage smothered with bright pretty flowers. June-Sept. Mixed.

1075—ISATIS Glaucia, Woad, hp, 3 ft. Graceful yellow.

## IRIS, GODDESS OF THE RAINBOW

IRIS, hp. These are easily grown from seeds and there is no excuse for being without a good collection of the various kinds. The plants will bloom the second year and make a fine display. We heartily recommend this method of propagation; for a bed of Iris can be successfully grown in sun or shade and will flower every year.

1063—DELTA BLEND. From a hardy collection of Louisiana Delta native Iris types. All colors.

1068—Germanica. 2ft. Of large size, graceful form, rich in color, delicate in texture, and pleasantly fragrant. Mixed colors.

1069—Kaempferi, Oriental Iris. 2 ft. Double and single open flowers of enormous size, sometimes 8 in. across. The colors and texture are wonderful. Finest colors Mixed.

1070—Siberian Mixed. A fine strain of vari-colored Iris.

1064—SPURIA MIXED. 2 ft. Similar to Dutch Iris in flower shape with colors from white, yellow, lilac, blue, purple, red. Several of the colors are often found in one flower.

1065—Iris Avalon Blend. A Special mixture of over 50 kinds.

1067—Dichotoma (August or Vesper Iris). Fragrant flowers, cream to violet purple with attractive markings. Blooms July to Sept.

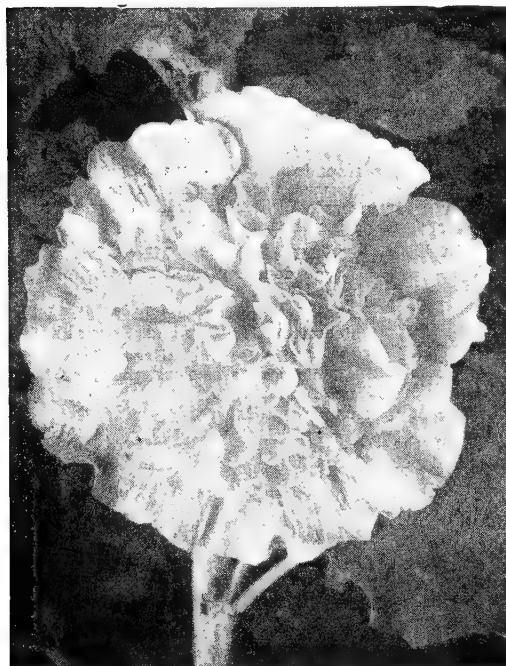
1066—Bearded Giant Hybrids Mixed. Seed saved from the finest of named varieties. It will produce splendid new and varied colors.

1074—Complete Mixture. Seed from each of above kinds.

IRIS CULTURE. Sow in very early spring as soon as soil can be worked, or in the fall to germinate the following spring. Sow in fine light soil and cover twice their thickness. The seed need to be exposed to the cold of winter for best germination. Most of those listed here will germinate the first spring, a few may not germinate until the second spring.



Geum Mrs. Bradshaw



Hollyhock Chater's Double

### CORAL BELLS

HEUCHERA, Alum Root or Coral Bells. Blooming from June to Sept. They are valuable for the low border or rockery.

989—Sanguinea Hybrids. A brilliant mixture of crimson, white and rose on graceful spikes.

987—Hoodacres Hybrids. 14 years of selection brings this fine Hyb. to you. More vigorous, more prolific with larger bells and longer stalks. Wide color range.

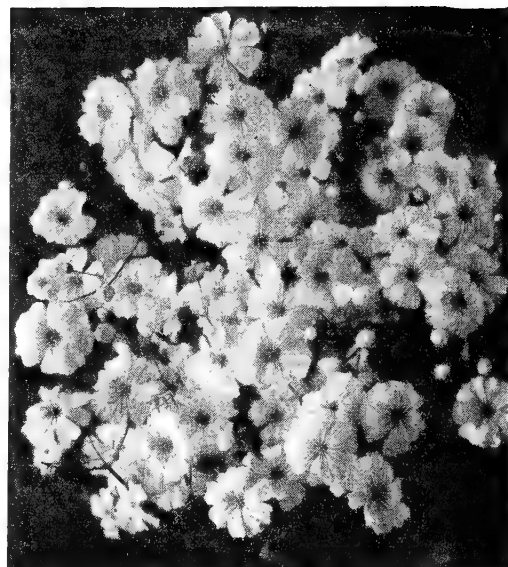
991—Complete Mixture of Heuchera. Contains rose, crimson, scarlet, vermillion and many other



Coral Bells Heuchera



Iris, Bearded Giant Hybrids



Gypsophila

1024—HYACINTHUS Candicans. hp, 4 ft. Bells of pure white in great spire-spikes 4-5 ft.

1020—HOMERIA Collina Aurantica. Lily-like plant, bright red flrs. and yellow claws.

977—HEMEROCALLIS. hp, 3 ft. Beautiful Day Lilies mixed.

### HELENIUM

945—Riverton Gem. hp, 3 ft. Flowers opening old gold, changing to Wallflower red.

946—Mixture of Helenium.

Dear Mr. Park, April 8, 1947

I was awarded 10 packets of your seed for winning first for my arrangement on Mirror at our Flower Show.

I have used your seed for many years and will appreciate this prize. I raise many of my nicest perennials from seed and I have found Park's seed rank with the best.

Thank you for all favors.

Yours truly,  
Mrs. E. W. S., Kirksville, Mo.



Helleborus



Iris Kaempferi





Shasta Daisy Giant Double

## GIANT SHASTA DAISY

### Chrysanthemum Leucanthemum

Hp. 2 ft. C. B. Shasta Daisies are splendid perennials, hardy and long lasting. The flowers are large, some 5 in. across. Showy for beds or cutting. June, July, August.

1146 — **NEW GIANT DOUBLE DIENER'S STRAIN.** Beautiful fully double white Shasta Daisies 5 inches across, perfectly hardy and finest for cutting.

1143—**SHASTA DAISY ALASKA.** 2 ft. Charming pure white flowers, long stems, compact plants. Single flowers.

1144—**MARCONI.** The largest Shasta Daisy to date. 2½ ft. stems, 6 in. flowers. Single.

### CHRYSANTHEMUM MAXIMUM

533—**FRINGED BEAUTY.** Pure white with fringed, curled frs.

534—**C. INDICUM MIXED.** Blooms within 5 mths. from sowing and continues until frost. Pkt. 25c.

1145—**MIXTURE** of single Shasta Daisies.

1148—Complete Special **MIXTURE** of Shasta Daisies, single and dble.

1086—**LABURNUM Vulgare, GOLDEN CHAIN.** hhp. to 30 ft. Not quite hardy where winter is severe. Showy yellow frs. in 8 in. clusters.

**LIATRIS** 1157—*Pycnostachya*, **Blazing Star.** 3 ft. Splendid cut flowers, brilliant rose-purple.

1158—**SPICATA,** Kansas Gay Feather. hp. 3 ft. Rose.

1153—**September Glory.** hp. 6 ft. Bright purple. Sept.

1160—**MIXTURE** of Liatris.

1248—**LYTHRUM Roseum Superbum,** Willow Herb. hp. 3 ft. Wand-like red spikes.

1249—**Superbum Beacon.** 3 ft. Clear rosy red spikes last a month. For moist spot in border.

## LION'S FOOT—Edelweiss

1155—**LEONTOPODIUM Alpinum (Gnaphalium).** Hp. 6". R. Everlasting. Native of Central Asia and very hardy. Foliage white wooly rosettes, flowers inconspicuous. A very favorite rockery plant requiring sandy loam soil and full sun.

1154—*Sibericum.* White flowers twice the size of alpinum borne in large clusters. A fine everlasting and more easily grown than alpinum.

**LINUM.** 1187—*Flavum, Flax.* hp. 1 ft. R. Bright golden bell-shaped flowers, rockery.

1188—**FLAVUM NANUM,** 6 in. Dwf. Yellow.

1192—**NARBONENSE.** hp. 2 ft. Large rich blue.

**LOBELIA** 1201—*Cardinalis,* Red Birds, Cardinal Flrs. Spikes of bright rich scarlet thruout autumn; moist soil, part shade.

1213—**SYPHILITICA,** Blue Birds. hp. 2 ft. Large blue flowers.

1214—**LOBELIA Mixed.** Red and blue.

1366—**MONARDA Finest Hybrids Mixed.** Horse-Mint. hp. 2 lipped aromatic fr. clusters. Striking in masses in the wild garden.

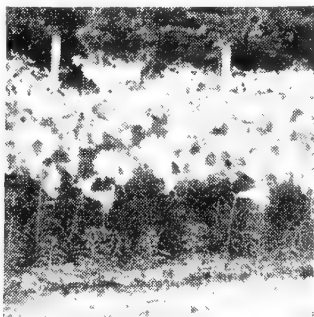
1429—**NEPETA Mussini Superba.** hp. 1 ft. New large-flowered sort, deep blue.

1686—**PHYTOLACCA Decandra.** hp. 8 ft. White flrs.; red berries relished by birds.

1459—**ORCHID Hardy Mixture.** Fully winter hardy and most delightful of wild flowers. Not particularly easy tho and we cannot replace Orchid seeds that fail to grow.

## REGALE LILIES

Grown from  
Park's Seed  
Tryapacket  
10c or 25c



## 1035—HANDSOME INCARVILLEA DELAVAYI

This plant was found by a French Missionary upon a lofty mountain in China. It is a very choice herbaceous perennial of easy propagation from seeds and will grow and bloom for years. The flower scapes rise a foot or more and bear at their summit from one to a dozen bright rosy purple trumpet-shaped flowers 2 in. in diameter. The plant is beautiful both in foliage and in flower, and well deserves a place in every garden. The seeds may be sown early in pots or trays and transplanted later to a rich, loamy soil in a sunny situation. Be sure to try it. Pkt. 10c and 25c.

1036—**INCARVILLEA Grandiflora Brevipes.** Flowers extra large, brilliant dark rose. Pkt. 10c; 25c.

1037—**INCARVILLEA, MIXED.** Pkt. 25c.

1038—**INCARVILLEA variabilis.** Ha. 2 ft. A delightful annual form of this popular plant. Blooms the first season. Mixed colors include pink, cream and bluish-rose.

## HARDY CANDYTUFT

**IBERIS.** hp. Blooms in April and May. Excellent plants for edging or low borders and make a solid blanket of color for many weeks.

1028—**SEMPERVIRENS.** hp, 6 in. Spreading plants completely covered with heads of pure white flrs. in spring and summer. Fine for rockery.

1026—**JACUNDA.** A rare species blooming during June and July. Dwarf bluish green plants bear dainty spikes of small pink flowers.

1025—**GIBALTARICA.** 1 ft. Lilac to white.

1029—**MIXED.** Perennial Candytuft.

## LILIES Glory of the Garden

Easily grown from seed Lilies are among the most pleasing of garden plants, and will give your garden a variety of colors and forms with regal grace and elegance. Begin your planting.

1161—**AURATUM, Gold-banded Lily.** hhp. 4 ft. Gorgeously handsome great saucer-shaped white flowers striped with golden yellow and freckled with maroon dots. Its powerful fragrance pervades the whole garden on late August evenings.

1175—**BELLINGHAM HYBRIDS.** A large collection of West Coast Native Lilies crossed and the finest ones selected for this beautiful strain. Many of them are pure yellow. Pkt. 25c.

1162—**MADONNA LILY (Candidum).** Snow white.

1163—**CONCOLOR.** Star Lily. 2 ft. Bears a profusion of erect starry blooms of brilliant scarlet.

1167—**LONGIFLORUM PRAECOX White Queen.** 2 ft. A clear snow white, extra long fr.; blooms readily from seed in 12 months. Easy to grow.

1168—**LONGIFLORUM TAKESIMA, True Easter Lily.** 30 in. Fragrant trumpets of purest white.

1171—**REGALE,** hhp, 3 ft. One of the most beautiful and easily grown garden lilies. Large trumpet shaped ivory white flowers. July. Fragrant.

1176—**PARDALINUM GIGANTEUM.** (Sunset Lily). Graceful recurving petals spotted maroon at center, rich bronzy orange red tip.

1170—**PHILIPPINENSE FORMOSANUM.** hhp, 2 ft. Long white trumpet flowers. Most easily grown.

1173—**TENUIFOLIUM, Siberian Lily.** Waxy scarlet recurved petals borne on 2 ft. wiry stems.

1177—**TENUIFOLIUM GOLDEN GLEAM.** A rich orange yellow "Coral Lily".

1178—**Willmotti.** Clusters of large 3-inch flowers, orange red, recurving brown-spotted petals.

1179—**MARTAGON.** (Turban Lily). Waxy petals of purple, pleasingly reflexed and dotted with black spots. 16 open flowers is not uncommon.

1174—**GLORY OF THE GARDEN.** Complete mixture of above Lilies.

Complete Cultural Directions Accompany Every Order.

## Lovely LUPINES

Perennial Lupines are superb for garden decoration and cutting. Seed should be sown where they are to flower. The finest of the Lupines are Russell's Hybrids.

1232—**L. RUSSELL'S HYBRIDS.** The strong growing, cut leaved foliage plants bear enormous, well rounded, long, symmetrical 3 ft. spikes closely spaced with large flowers in a great variety of rich colors: deep yellows, purples, oranges, reds and bi-colors besides white, pink, blue. 15 seeds 10c; 40 seeds 25c.

**HARDY LUPINUS Polyphyllus.** 2 ft. plants branch and bear freely long spikes of lovely flowers in rich and varied tones.

1231—**Harkness Regal Hybrids.** hp, 3 ft. A blend of delightful art shades.

1234—**Polyphyllus Complete Mixture.** Well balanced with white, yellow, blue, red, rose, bi-colors, and selfs and other colors.

**TREE LUPINUS.** 1229—*L. Arboreus.* 4 ft. Tall tree-like vigorous plants, yellow flrs. 1228—*L. Lavender Tree.* Fine lavender flrs.

**MECONOPSIS** 1335—*Baileyi.* hp. New, from China; glorious sky-blue Poppy-like flrs. with showy green anthers. A beautiful plant.

1339—**MERTENSIA Virginica, BLUE-BELLS.** 2 ft., hp. Panicles of rich blue, rose tinted flrs.

1367—**MUSCARI.** Grape Hyacinth. Charming 6 in. spikes of tiny blue bells.



Incarvillea



Lilies you can grow from Park's seed



Lupine Russell's Hybrids



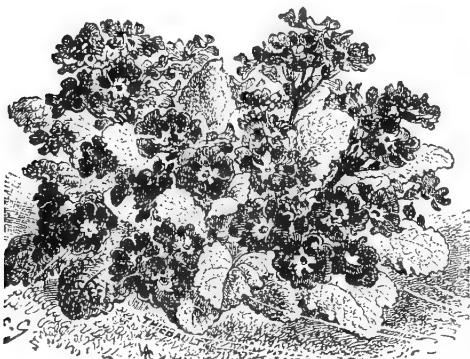


Papaver Orientalis

## ORIENTAL POPPIES

**PAPAVER ORIENTALIS**, hp. These are the largest and most attractive of garden perennials. The long fringed leaves are not unlike ferns, and the showy buds that issue from the ground on strong stems three feet high, develop into enormous flowers, brilliant in color and graceful in form. Blooms in May and June.

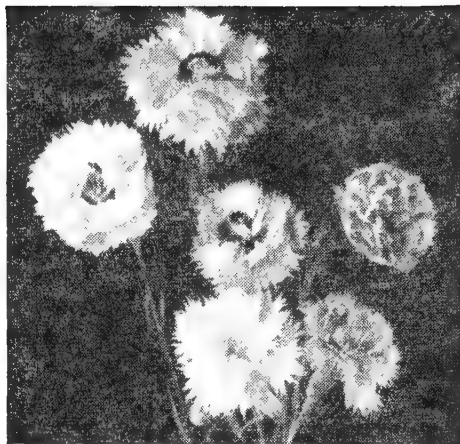
- 1525—**ALPINUM MIXED**, hp, 10 in. Dwarf, nearly stemless bedding. Poppy from the Alps.  
 1526—**BEAUTY OF LIVERMERE**, 3 ft. Crimson.  
 1527—**BRILLIANT**, 40 in. Brilliant fiery red.  
 1529—**PARK'S FINEST LARGE-FLOWERED HYBRIDS**, 3 ft. Lovely rare shades in mixture.  
 1528—**EXCELSIOR HYBRIDS**, 4 ft. New, a very fine mixture ranging from salmon to crimson.  
 1536—**GIANT DOUBLE OLYMPIA**, Light scarlet. A brand new color, full double. Pkt. 25c.  
 1530—**MAHONY**, Fine dark maroon.  
 1532—**NEW HYBRIDS**, Seed from named sorts.  
 1531—**MRS. PERRY**, 3 ft. Orange-apricot, rare.  
 1533—**PERRY'S WHITE**, 2 ft. Fine satiny white crimson maroon blotch at the base of each petal.  
 1534—**PRINCESS VICTORIA LOUISE**, 2 ft. Small salmon-pink.  
 1535—**COMPLETE SPECIAL MIXTURE OF ORIENTAL POPPIES**.



1723—Primrose Giant Polyanthus. Pkt. 10c.

Most of them will last for years and afford a showy and beautiful display every spring. The clustered flowers appear in many lovely colors and last for weeks. We offer the finest kinds for garden beds. Blooming season very early spring—March, April, May.

- 1711—**Auricula**, Extra large flowering mixture from the finest strain of prize show varieties.  
 1712—**Auricula Monarch Strain**, Pkt. 25c.  
 1714—**Bullesiana**, Hybrida, 18 in. Mixture.  
 1715—**Bulleyana**, 2 ft. Bright chrome yellow.  
 1716—**Cashmiriana**, Large flowered lilac.  
 1717—**Deans Choicest Colored Hybrids Mixed**, Splendid range of rich colors, large flowers. A magnificent premium strain. Pkt. 25c.  
 1719—**Japanica**, 2 ft. Splendid, white to crimson.  
 1718—**Florindae**, 40 in. Delightful fragrant, yellow.  
 1723—**Veris Elatior Giant Polyanthus**, Giant umbels in many light colors. Spring bloom.  
 P. Polyanthus or (Veris), 10 in. to 1 ft. Cowslip. A fine hybrid of Europe, long well known.  
 1720—**Alba pura**, pure white; 1721—**Aurea**, yellow; 1722—**Coerulea**, Blue shades; 1725—**Red shades**; 1724—**Large Flowered Choicest Mixed**.  
 1727—**Vulgaris**, 6 in. The true yellow Primrose.  
 1726—**Complete Mixture of Hardy Primroses**, containing the above and other interesting varieties.



Dianthus Pinks, Spring Beauty

## HARDY GARDEN PINKS

**DIANTHUS PLUMARIUS** or what is known as the Hardy Garden, Spice Pinks, or Flower of the Gods, have been greatly improved, being plain and fringed; single and double, rich-colored and variegated; blooming freely during summer.  
 734—**Little Jock Hybrid**, Pretty, daintily fringed.  
 740—**Semperflorens**, Double and single mixed.  
 735—**Extra Dwarf Double Mixed**, 9 in. Early.  
 742—**Spring Beauty**, Extra double, giant mixed. The best mixture of double flowering sorts.  
 739—**Scoticus, Double Special Florist Strain**, 12 in. Self colors of various tints of pink, rose, salmon and white, and combinations with bright crimson zone. Blooms large 1½-2 in.  
 743—**Winteri (New Pinks)**, hp, 9 in. The flowers are pure colors, habit compact, blooms first year.  
 741—**Single**, complete mixture of single varieties.  
 736—**Double**, complete mixture of double varieties.  
 744—**Complete Mixture of Hardy Garden Pinks**.

## PRIMROSE CULTURAL NOTES

Seeds of hardy Primroses should be sown in pots or pans as early in the year as possible, and after a good watering, should be covered with a piece of glass and placed outdoors against a north hedge or wall where the soil will be frozen. Then when milder weather sets in, bring the pots into gentle warmth and the seeds will germinate freely. For sowing at other times of the year, seed may be placed in the refrigerator for similar effect. The seeds are often tardy in starting, and should be placed in a seed bed where they will not be disturbed until seeds have had time to germinate. Primulas need partial shade, rich, porous soil with plenty of humus such as leaf mold. They like the east side of hill, shelter from wind, good drainage.

## PYRETHRUMS ARE EASILY GROWN

The seed germinate readily, often in less than 10 days, and may be sown in early spring or late summer. It is best to sow the seed in protected beds or flats, and cover very lightly about ¼". Tamp the soil firm, keep the bed moist. See directions in "Gardener's Handbook" page 12. When the little plants have formed the second set of leaves, they may be transplanted. Protect from full sun for a few days until well established. They like a well drained location and full sun.

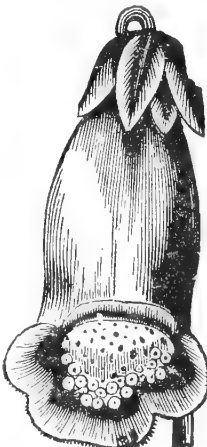
## GREAT GOLDEN PYRETHRUM

**Pyrethrum aureum**, Beautiful golden fern-like foliage. Blooms the first season from seed.  
 1760—**Golden Feather**, 1 ft. Golden foliage, white flowers. True old fashioned. Golden Feather.  
 1761—**Golden Gem Double**, Double Golden Feather.  
 1763—**Tom Thumb Double White**, A dwarf form.  
 1762—**Pyrethrum with yellow foliage Mixed**.

## DEPENDABLE

Dear Sirs: June 16, 1947  
 Your seeds are so dependable and start so readily. I have dozens of lovely perennials from Park's. Thank you for your prompt, courteous attention.

Mrs. C.P.W., Attica, N. Y.



Penstemon

- 1685—**LANTERN PLANT** (Physalis Franchetti), hp, 2 ft. Blood red inflated calyx like Chinese lantern.  
**POLEMONIUM (Jacobs Ladder)**, hp, 3 ft. Easily grown from fall planted seeds. 1691—**Coeruleum**, Blue flrs, similar to Phlox 1 in. across. 1690—**Album**, white. 1692—**Mixed Polemonium**.  
**POTENTILLA HYBRIDS**, hp, 2 ft.  
 1702—**Miss Wilmott**, Carmine.  
 1703—**Finest Single Hybrids Mixed**.  
 1701—**Double Hybrids**, Mixed.  
 1461—**PAEONIA Chinese Dble**, hp, 2 ft. Autumn sown; spring germination.

## PENSTEMON

Splendid perennials bearing bright tubular flrs., highly valued for the hardy border. Thrives many years.  
 1556—**Grandiflora Hybrids**, Giant flowered strain in a splendid collection of varieties and colors. The glaucous leaves add attraction.



James Kelway

Painted Daisies

Pyrethrum, Park's Double

## PAINTED DAISY

### PYRETHRUM ROSEUM

The beautiful single and double Pyrethrums are hardy perennials blooming in May and June. When the blooming period is over, they may be cut back heavily, which will cause them to have a second blooming period later in the summer. The single kinds are extremely light and effective, and last a long time in perfection. The double kinds are exquisite in form and coloring, and are one of our most popular perennials. Don't fail to add these to your order.

## DOUBLE PYRETHRUM

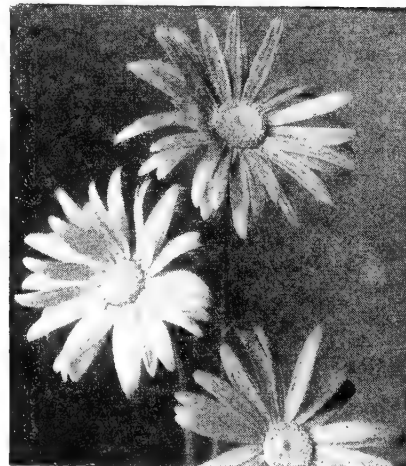
1759—**PARK'S EXTRA DOUBLE PRIZE MIXTURE**, hp, 2 ft.

Seed saved exclusively from extra double flowers of all colors. This is a fine premium strain and absolutely unsurpassed. Pkt. 25c.  
 We are glad to be able to offer our friends separate colors in Double Pyrethrum grown for us by Vis Brothers in Holland, who have long been noted for this specialty of theirs.

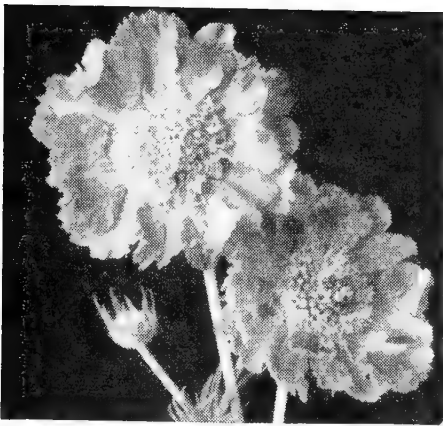
- 1769—**Extra Double Red**, Pkt. 25c.  
 1770—**Extra Double White**, Pkt. 25c.  
 1771—**Extra Double Pink**, Pkt. 25c.  
 1774—**Extra Double Sulphureum**, Yellow, Pkt. 25c.  
**COLLECTION 078—5 Giant Pkts**, One of each color. Double Pyrethrum listed above, for \$1.00.

## SINGLE PYRETHRUM

- 1757—**Roseum, Painted Daisy, Vis Brothers' Single**, hp, 2 ft. Flowers large, daisy-like, from white to red with yellow centers, produced freely on long stems, lasting well when cut. Mixture.  
 1756—**Park's Rose (Roseum)**, Single bright rose.  
 1755—**James Kelway**, hp, 2 ft. Bright vermilion red with golden center. Very showy.  
 1753—**Park's White**, 3 ft. Large white variety.  
 1754—**Robinson's Giant Grandiflorum Hybrids**, A fine blend of giant flowered single sorts. These are the largest of all, with beautiful color blend.  
 1758—**COMPLETE MIXTURE** of Single and Double Pyrethrums including all kinds above.



Pyrethrum, Robinson's Giant Flwd. Hyb.



1843—Scabiosa House's Hybrids. Pkt. 10c

## SCABIOSA

1843—House's Hybrids. hp, 3 ft. Large showy double flowers fringed and ruffled in many fine colors; fine for cutting. June to Sept.  
Caucasica. hp, 2 ft. Handsome and easily grown, thrives in ordinary well drained soil, sunny location. 1842—Blue. 1844—White.  
1845—Complete Mixture Scabiosa Caucasica.  
1846—Columbaria. hp, 2 ft. Very valuable, new. Hardy low growing plant. Flowers rose-mauve.  
1847—Complete Mixture of Perennial Scabiosa.

## ROCK GARDEN GEMS

1766—GIANT BUTTERCUP (*Ranunculus*). Giant Camellia Flowered Mixed. hhp, 2 ft. Special strain.  
1836—SAXIFRAGA (Rock-foil). Mixed Species. Highly interesting and desirable for rockery or wall, admired for pretty foliage and flowers.  
1832—SAPONARIA *Ocymoides Splendens* (Soapwort). hp, 1 ft. An elegant trailing perennial with showy rose flowers throughout the spring.  
1883—SHAMROCK. True Irish. Used by St. Patrick as a symbol for and explanation of the Trinity.  
1898—SILENE (None So Pretty). Mixture.  
1884—SILENE SCHAFTA. hp, 6 in. Trailing rosy purple flowers. July—October.  
1891—SILENE PENDULA Double Mixed hb, 6 in.  
1782—ROCK GARDEN PERENNIALS. A special mixture of the best perennials for your rockery.

## CHOICE BORDER PLANTS

SIDALCEA. 1884—Rosy Gem. hp, 18 in. Handsome. plant with fine spikes of rose, Hollyhock-like flrs.  
1885—Stark's Hybrids. hp, 8 ft. Blue bluish to carmine; flowers during June and July.

## STOKE'S ASTER

1951—Stokesia Cyanea. hp, 15 in. Delightful erect branched plant; grey green foliage, 4 in. blue flowers. Free blooming and continuous. Thrives in rich light soil and open exposure. September.  
1952—Mixed. Blue and white Stokes Aster.  
THALICTRUM 2013—Dipterocarpum. hp, 4 ft. A real gem among hardy plants, graceful sprays of violet-mauve flowers brightened by a bunch of lemon-yellow stamens, showy in the garden. June and July.  
2012—Aquillegiafolium. hp, 3 ft. Columbine like foliage and pink flowers in June and July.  
2018—BOUQUETGREEN (*Adiantum* folium). hp, 1½ ft. Rockery. Flrs. greenish-yellow. Early spring.  
2019—Thalictrum Mixed.  
THERMOPSIS. Perennial herbs of the Pea family. Lupin like plants. Good for bold effects.  
2017—Caroliniana. 4 ft. Yellow pea like blossoms in midsummer. Blooms in June and July.  
1784—ROSA Polyantha Nana Multiflora. 2 ft. Baby Rose. Blooms in 5 months from seed. Mixed.  
1953—STRAWBERRY. Baron von Solemaker (*Fragaria*). Red fruited. Attractive, novel.  
1882—SENECIO Elegans fl. pl.

## KNIPHOFIA or TRITOMA

### TORCH LILY, RED HOT POKER\*

1080—Hybrida Mirabilis. 3 ft. Blooms the first year from seed. Mix. Flowers Aug. to Oct.  
1082—Pfitzer's Hybrids. hp, 3 ft. Brilliant red.  
1081—New Hybrids. Showy 3 ft. flame-like flower spikes in flashing array of mixed colors.  
1083—Royal Castle Hybrids. hp, 3 ft. New color range. Large flowers of perfect form. Pkt. 25c.  
1084—Uvaria Grandiflora. Large flowered mixture.  
TROLLIUS or GLOBE FLOWER. hp, 20 in. Like a large double Buttercup. Blooms in border from May to July. 2031—Golden Queen. Dark yellow.  
2041—Europeus. hp, 2 ft. Showy lemon yellow.  
2032—Mixed colors.  
GARDEN HELIOTROPE. (*Valeriana Officinalis*). 4 ft. Also known as Pretty Betsy. Cut leaved foliage and flat topped flower clusters, fine for background plants or cutting, flowers June to Oct.  
2035—Alba, white; 2036—Coccinea (Rubra) crimson; 2040—Mixed colors.  
2068—VERONICA Perennial Mixed. SPEEDWELL. Of easy culture, free flowering, likes sun. June, July.  
WALLFLOWER. (*Cheiranthus cheiri*). hhp, 2½ ft. Easily grown from seed, and in mild climates bloom freely during winter.  
2126—Dwarf Double Mixed. 2130—Tall Double Mixed. 2118—Single Mixed. 2129—Complete Mix.

## SWEET WILLIAM

SWEET WILLIAM, *Dianthus Barbatus*. hb, 18 in. These are favorite garden flowers, being showy, fragrant, and long blooming. The plants stool out and become large clumps, each throwing up a number of strong stems that are surmounted with large exquisite clusters. May and June.

748—Double Flowered. Comes about 60% double flowered plants in finest mixture of colors.

Single-Flowered. 752—Pure White, 754—Scarlet-Beauty. 755—Mixed all colors.

747—Dwarf Compact Double, Dwf. Midget. 9 in. Large, showy heads, finest mixed flowers.

746—Diadem. Striking in size of flrs. and beauty of color. Brilliant dark scarlet with large white eye.

749—Holborn Glory. Large flowers, contrasting eye.

750—Newport Pink. 18 in. A very bright, beautiful variety, excellent for summer beds and cutting, splendid shades, salmon or watermelon-pink.

756—Complete mixture of single and double.

762—INDIAN CARPET. Plants are very dwarf, compact and uniform not exceeding 5 or 6 inches in height, thus presenting all the showy colors on a uniform level. This mixture includes the large auricula-eyed forms with zones of red, scarlet and pink as well as solid colors such as crimson, scarlet pink and white. Will produce a gorgeous carpet-like effect from early spring and lasting well into early summer. Originated by Watkins & Simpson Ltd., England. Pkt. 25c.



756—Sweet William Mixed

## A Dream of Beauty Come True This Perennial Border Will Bloom The Entire Season.

Here is a list of perennials you can easily grow from seed. All are well suited to your hardy perennial border, and will live and bloom freely for years. The various kinds have been selected to give continuous bloom thruout the entire season, well balanced as to color, and height. We suggest that you plant the low growing kinds nearest the walk, the medium kinds in the center and the tall varieties at the back of the bed. This will display each kind to best advantage. The last listed kinds are for points of interest to enhance the beauty of the more regular planting.

### FOR SPRING BLOOM

LOW GROWING 4-10 inches  
ALYSSUM Saxatile Compactum  
—Yellow.

CANDYTUFT (*Iberis*)—White.  
AUBRIETIA *Deltoides* (Rock-cress)—Lilac.

VIOLA Cornuta Mixed colors.  
MEDIUM HEIGHT  
1 ft. to 20 inches

COLUMBINE (*Aguilegia*) Long Spurred Hybrids. Mixed.

TROLLIUS Golden Queen.

ANCHUSA *Myosotidiflora*. Blue.

ACHILLEA The Pearl—White.

CARNATION Hardy Border.

BAPTISIA Australis—Blue.

### SUMMER BLOOMING

LOW GROWING  
GEUM Lady Strathedan—Yel.  
SWEET WILLIAM—Dwarf.  
CAMPANULA Carpatia—Blue.

MEDIUM HEIGHT  
ANTHEMIS Tinctoria—Yellow.  
SHASTA DAISY, Diener's dble.  
CAMPANULA Persicifolia Blue.

LUPINUS Russell's Hyb. Mixed.  
THALICTRUM Aquil. Pink.

TALL, Exquisite for tall background, and for cutting.  
HELIOPSIS, Lemoines Yellow.

DELPHINIUM Round Table Series—Blue and white.

DIGITALIS Purpurea Rose.

PENSTEMON MIXED.

SALVIA Azurea—Blue.

### LATE SUMMER AND FALL

LOW GROWING  
ASTER *Amellus*—Blue and Rose.  
DAHLIA Unwin's Bedding.

MEDIUM  
CHRYSANTHEMUM KOREAN HYBRIDS—Mixed.

SCABIOSA Caucasica White.  
ACONITUM Fischeri—Blue.

TALL GROWING  
HELENIUM Riverton Gem. Yellow to Red.

HOLLYHOCK Chater's Double.

BOLTONIA Latisquama—Pink.

FOR ACCENT POINTS  
INCARVILLEA Delavayi. Rose.

LILIES Glory Mixed.

## COLLECTION 079

ALL THE SEED NEEDED FOR THIS BEAUTIFUL ALL SEASON GARDEN 34—10c pkts. One each of those listed above. Value \$3.40

for only \$2.50

## GRASSES FOR BOUQUETS

55—AGROSTIS *Nebulosa* (CLOUD GRASS). 1 ft. Cloud like panicles make fine bouquets.

290—ANIMATED OATS (*Avena sterilis*). 3 ft. Panicles a foot long, with 2 in. awns. Florets move by hygroscopic action. Unique and interesting.

823—SWORD GRASS (*Eulalia zebrina*). hp, 4 ft. Striped.

BRIZA 342—Maxima (Quaking Grass). Pretty ornamental for mixing in bouquets. The airy spiklets tremble in the lightest breeze.

343—Minima (*Gracillia*). Low growing.

1552—FOUNTAIN GRASS, *Pennisetum ruppelii*. ha, 4 ft. Great 1 ft. spikes are strikingly colored—purple, coppery red and rose; leaves narrow and 2 ft. long. Gives fountain effect.

PAMPAS GRASS, 1462—*Cortaderia*. hhp, 10-20 ft. One of the finest and most showy of all the grasses. Long silky white plumes are borne in late summer and last for a month. They may be cut and dried for winter decoration. The plants become more beautiful with age.

579—JOB'S TEARS, *Coix lachryma*. hha, 3 ft. Tall ornamental grass bearing hard pearly white seed which can be made into a lively distinctive necklace.

923—GRASSES IN MIXTURE. Made up of many sorts. Excellent for decorative bouquets with other flowers.

CYTISSUS (Butcher's Broom)  
Valuable for poor soil and sun.

641—Andreanus. Long green stems with striking scarlet and gold flowers.

## THE SENTIMENT OF FLOWERS

The instinctive and universal taste of mankind selects flowers for the expression of its finest sympathies, their beauty and fleetingness serving to make them the most fitting symbols of those delicate sentiments for which language seems almost too gross a medium.—Hillard.

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## PRAYER FOR A GARDEN

God of all beauty, growth and flowering  
Into the bounteous earth I place these seeds;  
In each one sealed its color, scent, and form,  
Give them abundantly to fill their needs,  
Magic of sunshine, rain and star filled night,  
That they may reach perfection in Thy care  
And I may know in gently tending them  
A growth of soul because I find You there.

1843—Scabiosa House's Hybrids. Pkt. 10c.



# SEEDS OF CHOICE WINDOW PLANTS

For A Window Full of Cheer in Dreary Winter Weather



## GLORIOUS BEGONIAS

Everyone admires these colorful plants that bloom all 12 months.

Begonias both Tuberous and Fibrous-rooted are easily raised from seed by proper care. Tuberous kinds bear larger flowers than the others and keep in bloom all summer. The Fibrous rooted will often bloom continuously summer and winter. Our seeds are of the finest quality for your pleasure.

### FIBROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS

Unsurpassed for winter bloom, excellent for the shady summer bed. Seed, tho very fine, germinates readily if kept uniformly moist and not smothered.

#### Tall Class, 12 inches

- 310—Christmas Cheer. Large flowered, deep crimson rose.
- 311—Enchantress. (Christmas Pink). Compact growing habit, pale green foliage, bright pink flrs. Free flowering.
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## TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS

These are valuable for summer decorations or window gardens; large flowers often 6 in. across, colors ranging from white to crimson and shades of bronze, orange and rose.

- 316—Double-flowered. hhp, 1 ft. Beautiful double flrs. in fine mixed colors; about 80% true from seeds. Pkt. 25c.
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- 317—Fringed Mixed. hhp, 1 ft. Unsurpassed strain of lovely fringed hybrids.
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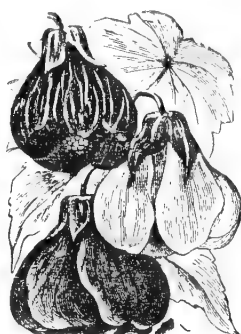
197—ASCLEPIAS Curassavica, 2 ft. hhp. (Blood Flower). A fine pot plant with brilliant flowers of orange and reddish purple. Easily grown.

324—CHEERFUL BABIANA. hhp, 1 ft. Bulbous plant from South Africa with spike-like clusters of showy red or purplish flowers.

347—BUTTERFLY BUSH. (Buddleia Peerless Blend). Blue, purple, pink, orange, all included in this mixture. Winter hardy north to Pa.

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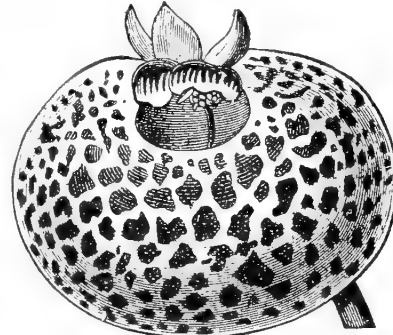
4—ABUTILON NEW HYBRIDS. hhp, 3 ft. Pendant flowers, 1 to 3 in. long, vary in color from red to yellow and white, with intermediate hues and tints. Valuable for window box, greenhouse or conservatory, and equally suited for hanging baskets or summer bedding. Easily grown from seeds.



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320—Tuberous-rooted Begonias Pkt. 10c



359—Calceolaria, Pouch Flower

## CALCEOLARIA, Pouch Flower

These are of easy culture from seeds. The unique pocket-like flrs. are entirely different in form from any other flower and the colors range from yellow to pink and red, some being tigred, spotted.

357—Rain of Gold (Rugosa). Covered with small flowers of pure gold. Fine for porch box.

361—Giant Tigred and Spotted Mixed. Extra large flowers, beautifully tigred and spotted with a few self colors to add enchantment. This is the strongest growing Calceolaria.

360—Triumph Strain. Medium large flowers; mostly bright reds and yellows, are freely borne.

356—New Dwarf Compact. 9 in. Lovely clusters of many colors, selfs and spotted, beautiful. The plants are more convenient to handle than the taller varieties.

359—Complete Special Mixture of Calceolaria.

291—AZALIA Mixed. hhp.

392—CAMELLIA Japonica, fl. pl., hhp, 20 ft. Large double and single flowers, finest mixed colors. Hardy South, the pride of Dixie's Gardens.

An exquisite winter blooming plant for the conservatory in the North. 2 seeds 10c; 6 seeds 25c; 30 seeds \$1.00.

## CINERARIA GRANDIFLORA GIANTS

The large flowered Cinerarias are beautiful flowering plants for the window, very bright, rich colored, free blooming, and lasting. Seeds start quickly and Spring seedlings bloom the following winter. We offer the finest strains, and especially recommend Cremer's for free flowering; Howard's for giant individual blooms.

546—Cremer's Prize Strain. A reselected strain of choice colors, very floriferous. Exhibition.

545—California Super Giants. Enormous flowers, carried well above the foliage, cover the plants. Basal branching habit. We can supply this fine new Cineraria in complete Mixture of colors.

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552—Complete Mixture of the above Cinerarias.



Cineraria, 546—Cremer's Prize Strain. Pkt. 10c.



## DUAL PURPOSE FLOWERS

The flowers listed in this column are described under other headings, but are excellent for window culture and will bloom well in winter. Most of them can be used during summer for delightful beds or borders, then just before frost, they may be cut back heavily, planted in a pot or window box, where they will come into bloom in the house during winter. The varieties listed here are our selection for inside use, tho other varieties of the same species may be used equally well.

2—**ABRUS Praecatorius** (Prayer Bean). 15 ft. vine, beautiful foliage, large purple clusters of bloom. Seeds bright scarlet.  
**AGERATUM**. All varieties of these may be used.

72—**ALYSSUM VIOLET QUEEN**. Pot for winter bloom.

125—**ANTIRRHINUM** Semi-Dwarf Mixed.

592—**CONVOLVULUS** Minor Royal Ensign. A lovely vine of royal blue.

**BALSAM** 298—Dwarf Bush Flowering. The Tall Camellia Flwd. Balsam has long been a favorite window plant because it is easily grown, blooms in 2 months from seed, and is charming in the window.

**CALENDULA** 374—Yellow Colossal. A fine continuous blooming plant.

**CARNATION**. Any of the Carnations listed on pg. 16 or 26 will bloom in the winter window. They should be grown outdoors during the spring and summer, then cut back and potted for winter bloom.

1644—**PETUNIA FLUFFY RUFFLES**. hhp, 1 ft.

1483—**ICE PANSY**. Plant seeds in July, put in flats or pots about Sept. 1, bring inside when frost begins, keep in cool place with plenty of light.

**CYCLAMEN NOTES**—Seeds sown in early winter will produce flowering plants for the following winter. It takes about two months for the seed to form a tuber below ground after which 2 leaves will appear and the little plants should be transplanted. Fresh, fibrous, well drained loam containing one-fifth well-rotted horse manure is best for a potting mixture. They require abundant light, but some shading on hot summer days.

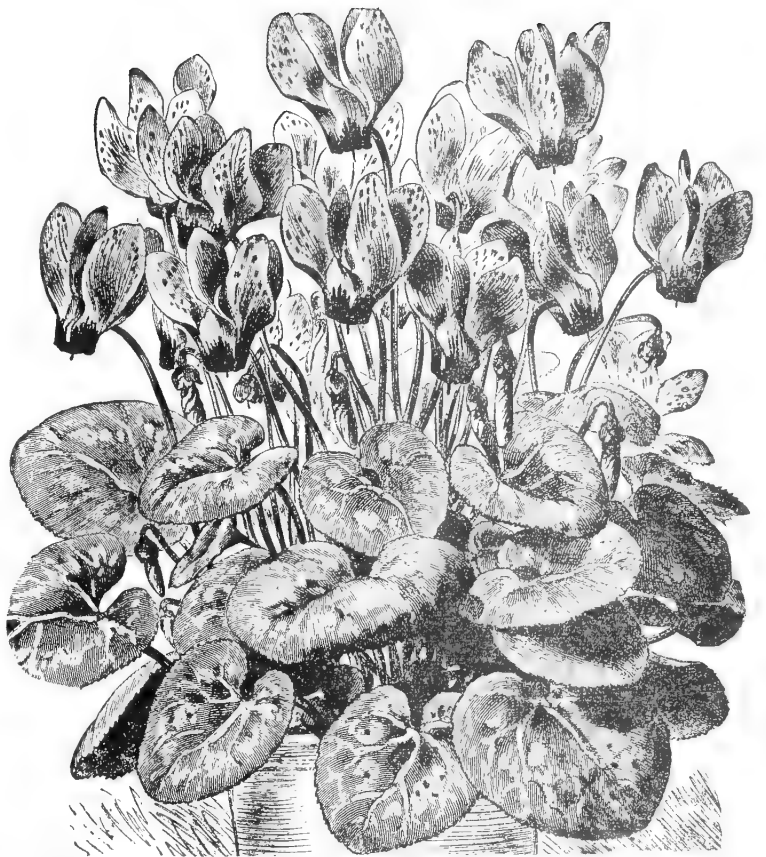
574—**CLIVIA MINIATA**—Rare and Most Glorious Giant Trumpet shaped flowers of bright scarlet with yellow throats are borne in umbels atop a 1 ft. stem. Strap shaped, waxy green leaves remind one of the Amaryllis family of which it is a member. Seed 20c each; 3 for 50c; Limited supply. Order early.

1076—**JACARANDA Mimosifolia**. Elegant finely cut fern-like foliage and loose clusters of large blue flowers. Pot specimen North; ornamental tree in far South.

### Richly Fragrant-Exacum Affine

809—**EXACUM** Affine. 12 in. hhp. Compact, free flowering plant of the Gentian family; flrs. blue with golden stamens; richly fragrant. Seed may be sown any month but January or February sown seed will produce flowering plants for fall and winter. Seed are very fine, and must be treated with care.

647—**UMBRELLA PLANT**. (Cyperus alternifolius). 3 ft. Resembles a miniature clump of palm trees. Likes wet feet. Can be used as indoor pot plant, or in shallow water at edge of pool.



### CYCLAMEN—Shooting Star

**CYCLAMEN Persicum Giganteum**. hhp, 1 ft. For the window in winter. The exquisite flowers of many lovely colors are produced in great abundance for many weeks; seed show plantlets in about 4 weeks; plants begin blooming in 18 mths. Every seed, as a rule, will produce a plant.

626—**Christmas Holly**. Color of the Hollyberry. Selected from a famous strain. Flowers of great size. 2 seeds 25c; 12 seeds for \$1.00.

619—**Mont Blanc**. Pure white. 3 seed 25c.

618—**Mozart**. Deep pink. 3 seed 25c.

629—**Extra Select Strain Mixed**. A fine hybrid strain including all Cyclamen colors. 3 seed 10c; 10 seed 25c.

627—**Bright Waves Ruffled**. New, flowers large and beautifully ruffled. Mixed. 1 seed 10c; 3 seeds 25c.

628—**Double Mixed**. Rare and expensive, a sensation anywhere. 1 seed 10c; 3 seeds 25c.



### FERNS

200—**Plumosus Nanus**. hhp, 18 in. Elegant foliage.

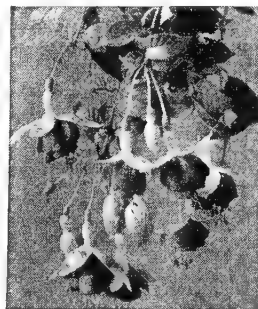
201—**Sprengerii**, Emerald Feather. hhp, 6 ft. Best for window boxes.

206—**Plumosus Robustus**. 10 ft. Vine. The strongest of all Asparagus.

202—**Asparagus Complete Mixture**.

**PERNS**. 833—Greenhouse Varieties.

834—**PERNS**. **HARDY BLEND**. This is a mixture of spores of species completely winter hardy.



### LADIES EARDROPS

839—**FUCHSIA** Hybrids Mixed. hhp, 2 ft. Single and double flowers. Outer petals reflexed and so colored as to contrast beautifully with the inner petals. Flowers produced throughout the entire winter indoors, and if used for summer bedding blooms in July and August, in a shady place, where few other plants will do well. Medium rich garden soil, containing some leaf mold. Humid atmosphere, and partial shade. Start seed Jan., Feb.



584—**Coleus**, Park's Special Mixed. Pkt. 10c

### Coleus, Flame Nettle

A plant of many uses, it is equally at home for grouping on lawns, potting, bedding, and window box culture. The luxuriant foliage is beautiful winter and summer, and will display maroon, green, crimson, yellow, pink, and combinations of these colors. The seed germinate readily and plants are easily cared for.

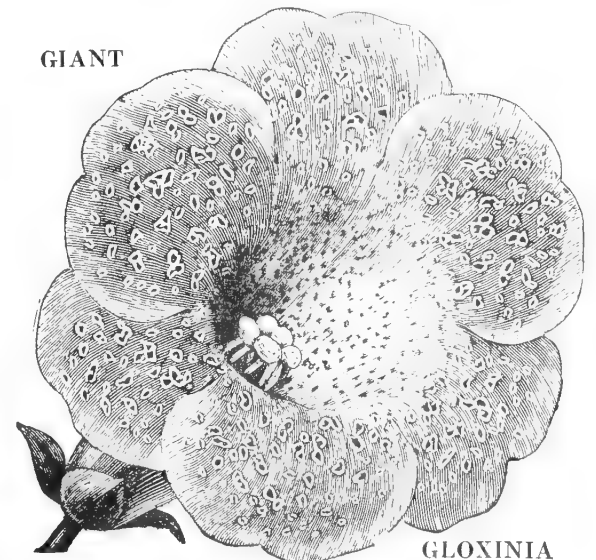
582—**Pride of Montferland**. A new strain with large leaves, distinguished by its beautiful colors and markings and robust compact growth. Our finest. Pkt. 25c

585—**Ball Copper Giant**. Produces large leaves of a pleasing copper rose shade about 75% true. Pkt. 25c.

583—**Rainbow Hybrids Mixed**. Wide range of colors. Includes all the colors known to Coleus.

580—**Glory Mixture**. Many rare and unusual colors.

584—**Complete Special Park's Mixture**. A fine blending of above strains.



### GLOXINIA

**GLOXINIA**. hhp, 1 ft. These are easily grown from seeds and when sown in spring, the plants will begin blooming about Christmas and will remain in bloom during the winter. The flrs. are large, bell-shaped and of the most brilliant colors. These seeds are very small and require care in handling but start very readily when sown in pans or pots on finely sifted soil and watered from beneath.

880—**Queen Victoria**. Pure white.

881—**Tigrina**. Mixed colors tigré and spotted.

878—**Emp. Frederick**. Bright scarlet, white border.

879—**Emp. William**. Dark violet, white border.

884—**Fire King**. Bright red.

882—**Complete Mixture** made from above and all other known colors of Gloxinia.

Flowers are the sweetest things that God ever made and forgot to put a soul into.—H. W. Beecher.

591—**SKY FLOWER** Commelina Coelestis. 2 ft. Tumbled masses of intensely vivid blue blossoms, the color of the deep summer sky.

All Seed: Pkt. 10c; 23 for \$2.00. Giant Pkt. 25c; 11 for \$2.00.



1034—Impatiens Sultani Hybrids. Pkt. 10c

### IMPATIENS—Patience or Sultana

In bloom every month of the year.

For the window in winter, porch box in spring, a shady bed in summer. Impatiens are easily grown from seed and begin to bloom in about 3 months from sowing. The flowers are 1½-2" in diam. with graceful curving spurs, and display colors of red, rose, pink, white and shades between.

1030—Holstii. hhp, 2 ft. Brilliant scarlet.

1031—Holstii Hybrids. hhp, 2 ft. A great variety of colors. Large 2" flowers with slender downturned spurs.

1033—Sultani. hhp, 15" Dwarf, brilliant carmine.

1034—Sultani Hybrids. hhp, 15". Dwarf plants in fine mixed colors.

1032—Complete Mixture of Impatiens.

### TO CONTROL "DAMPING OFF"

"Damping Off" is a microscopic fungus growth which attacks the baby plants just as they emerge from the ground or while they are still small, and is the reason for many failures which are blamed on the seed, especially where very small seed are concerned. It may be overcome by treating the seed (We do this for you as an extra "Park Service"), and sterilizing the soil. (Bake in the oven or pour boiling water thru it 24 hrs. prior to planting.)

Where sterilizing is impractical, as with an outdoor bed or cold frame, spray the soil, just as the seedlings appear, with Semesan solution (1/3 oz. to gallon of water). We offer SEMESAN in 1/3 oz. Pkts. for 15c. This is enough to spray 40 square feet of bed.

1077—KALANCHOE Globulifera Coccinea. Succulent, easily propagated, long-blooming pot plant. Gorgeous scarlet flrs. Start seedlings in spring—grow in open during summer, pot in fall for Christmas and early spring blooms.

1078—TOM THUMB. Dwarf Kalanchoe.

FREESIA 837—Rainbow Hybrids. Easy of culture, their fragrance and charming beauty will be a source of great delight to you. Blooms in 6-8 mo. Large, long stemmed flowers in Hybrid Mixed. 838—Tubergeni Hybrids. A new Hybrid Mixture. Flowers large and of many new colors. Pkt. 25c.

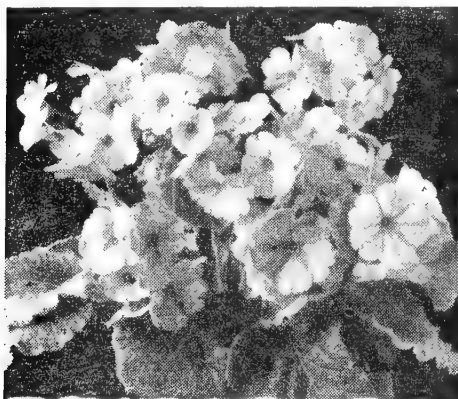
### HELIOTROPE (Cherry Pie)

969—Giant Lemoini Mixed. 2 ft. extra large.

971—Regale Dwarf Mixed. 15 in. A dwarf, even clear colored strain with extra large flower heads. Richly fragrant. Pkt. 25c.

972—Heliotrope Complete Mixture.

LANTANA 1088—Choice New Hybrids. hhp, 3 ft. Beautiful flrs. of various colors; fine pots or beds. 1089—Nana Compacta. hhp, 1 ft. Large-flowered, ever-blooming plants of bushy habit.



1744—Primula Obconica Gigantea. Pkt. 10c

### Fine Large-flowered GERANIUMS



### Glorious Ever-blooming Flowers for Pots or Showy Beds

Sluis Bros. of Holland, where Geraniums grow and bloom to perfection, have a fine strain of choice large-flowered Geraniums. We take pleasure in offering the seeds direct from them this season. Their collection embraces a great variety of shades, colors and variegations, as white, rose, scarlet, crimson, salmon and flesh, some more or less marked with other colors. The seeds are of the new crop and will germinate in from two to eight weeks, not all appearing at the same time. Botanically known as Pelargonium Zonale, this is the Geranium grown and loved in window gardens thruout the nation.

1550—GERANIUM (Pelargonium zonale). Complete Mixture. hhp. From Sluis Bros. L fine collection. Pkts. 10c and 25c.

1548—GERANIUM BLUE BEAUTY. hp, 1 ft. For growing outdoors along a walkway or in the rockery. Not used for indoor culture. Handsome and hardy, deep blue.

### PARK'S FINEST PRIMROSES

PRIMULA. hhp. These are hardly equalled by any other flower for winter blooming. The plants are easily raised from seeds, begin to bloom in six to eight months, bloom in winter and spring.

### PRIMULA OBCONICA

P. Obconica Gigantea, New Giant Flowered Primula. The engraving gives some idea as to the size of these new free blooming giants. Our mixture contains the most varied and brilliant colors.

1740—Pure White; 1741—Deep Carmine Red;

1742—Bright Blue. 1743—Deep rose;

1744—Gigantea Splendid Mixture. Complete Mixture.

### CHINESE GIANT FRINGED

Anyone can grow these successfully from seeds, and a window full of the blooming plants is an object that attracts the attention and admiration of all. Finest strains in rich and beautiful colors. 1734—Choice Mixed of All colors.

1730—Park's Double Flowered Mixed. Pkt. 25c.

1745—Chinese Star Sorts. These are more free-blooming than the Giant Fringed, embrace as many colors, and are more easily cared for. Succeed under adverse conditions and are as attractive as the giant Primrose, and more satisfactory.

PRIMULA NOTES: Sow seed from January to May for fall and winter flowers. Use light sandy soil, and barely cover the seed. Close attention must be paid to moisture. Keep the soil moist, not wet, and do not let dry out. Remove glass covering as soon as germination begins.

ERYTHRINA 803—Crista-Galli (Cockspur). 3 ft. Native of Brazil, scarlet. 1 seed 10c; 3 for 25c.

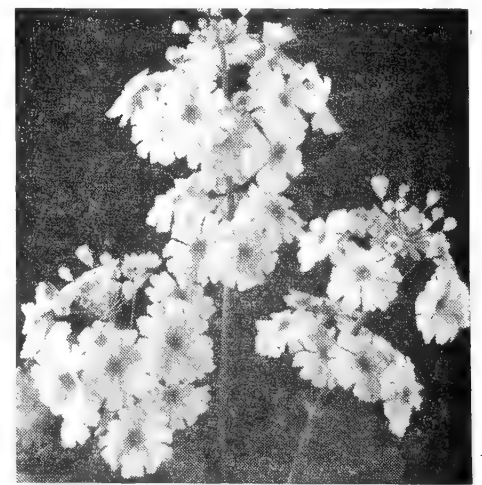
790—DRACAENA or Cordyline indivisa. hhp, 2-3 ft. Sub-tropical, palm-like for pots or beds.

1196—LIPPIA Citriodora, Lemon Verbena. hhp, 2 ft. Sweet scented foliage, showy white flowers.

### BEAUTIFUL PRIMULA MALACOIDES

1738—PRIMULA Malacoides Sweetheart. Sweetheart adds a distinct bi-color to the group. The blooms are bright salmon pink, bordered with a wide band of white, softly flushed flesh pink. In the center is a tiny but distinct touch of golden yellow. Blooms in about 4 months from seed.

1739—Complete Mixture Primula malacoides.



1738—Primula Malacoides, Sweetheart





Streptocarpus Hybrids, Cape Primrose

### 1955—Giant Streptocarpus Hybrids

Here is a new race of Giant Streptocarpus Hybrids that will be eye-openers to many who grow fine window plants. For thirty years the European plant breeders have been hybridizing and selecting, using the finest known species and varieties; and these earnest efforts have resulted in a magnificent strain of Hybrids, the flowers of which are surpassingly beautiful in size, form, rich and varied colors, and free and continuous blooming. The foliage too has been more or less improved. As easily raised from seed as Gloxinias. The seeds are of Gloxinia size, so of course, must be carefully sown. Started in early spring, the plants will begin to bloom in August and continue freely in bloom till winter. The flowers are trumpet shaped, about 2" long, very graceful, and wonderfully varied in color, ranging from white to rich blue and crimson, the throat and lower segments often splashed with white or purple. If you grow Gloxinias and Calceolarias, don't fail to get this.

2014—**THEA Sinensis, Tea Plant.** hhp. Beautiful, ornamental both in foliage and flower. Treated leaves become tea of commerce. Choice plant.

Use Quassia Chip Spray to protect your plants from insect pests. Easily made. ¼ lb. Quassia Chips 35c.

2136—**Park's Select Window Garden Mixture.** Many best kinds.

#### OXALIS, Little Buttercup

1449—**Rosea.** hha, 6 in. Bright rose clusters, long stalks.

1448—**Purple Bed (Tropaeoloides).** ha, 4 in. Purple foliage, yellow flowers. Rockery.

1447—**Mixed Oxalis.**

1922—**STEVIA Serrata (Piqueria).** 1 ft. hhp. For winter bloom, or summer bedding. Airy white flowers borne profusely in panicles.

## PLANTS For Your Window AFRICAN VIOLETS

Fine healthy plants, in bud, ready to bloom for you. These are shipped only during April through September. Early orders will be booked for late April shipment. **PRICE: \$1.00 each—Any three for \$2.75 Postpaid.**

**BLUE BOY.** Rich bright blue.

**PINK BEAUTY.** Soft, delicate pink.

**WHITE LADY.** Pure white.

**ABUTILON.** See picture pg. 32. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

**BEGONIA.** Fibrous rooted kinds in assorted colors. See picture pg. 32. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

**CACTUS MIXED.** 3 for 50c; 8 for \$1.00.

**CALCEOLARIA.** Mixed colors. See picture pg. 32. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

**CINERARIA.** Mixed colors. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

**FUCHSIA.** Mixed colors. 40c each, 3 for \$1.00.

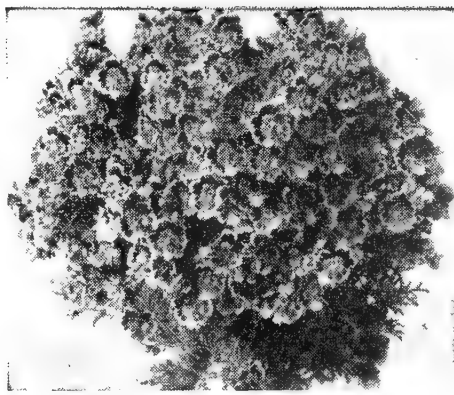
**GERANIUM.** Red, Pink, or White. 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.

**CYCLAMEN MIXED.** 75c each; 3 for \$1.50.

**IMPATIENS.** 3 for 50c; 8 for \$1.00.

THESE PLANTS ARE all healthy, and of a size which will soon come into flower for you. They will be well packed, roots wrapped in damp peat moss, and postpaid to you. If you prefer them shipped in paper pots, we can do so, if you add 10c per plant to cover cost of extra handling and postage.

WE GUARANTEE ALL PLANTS TO REACH YOU IN GOOD CONDITION and will replace free of charge any that do not, provided we are notified within ten days from date plants reach you.



Butterfly Flower, Schizanthus

**SCHIZANTHUS, Butterfly Flower.** These are splendid annuals, the plants growing from one to two feet high, branching freely, and are almost smothered with delicate orchid-like bloom. The markings are white, rose, gold, crimson, violet.

1876—**Dr. Badger's Hybrids.** hha, 1 ft. This is the finest strain of Schizanthus. Mixed colors.

1877—**Retusus Hybrids.** hha, 2½ ft. Giant flowers 1½-2 in. across. Strong growing. Mixed colors.

1886—**Monarch Hybrids.** A distinctly dwarf strain with large flowers. Complete color range. New and the finest for use as a pot plant. Pkt. 25c.

1880—**Complete Special Mixture** of Schizanthus.

**PASSION VINE (Passiflora).** hhp. Magnificent flowers of unusual structure followed by egg-shaped fruits. Tendril climbing vines.

1545—**Coerulea.** Showy blue flowers.

1546—**Edulis.** Blue and white flowers, showy, delicious purple, egg-shaped edible fruits.

1559—**Incarnata.** Two inch flowers, white with pink crown. Fruit yellow, attractive and edible.

1547—**Mixture of Passiflora.**

1687—**PLUMBAGO Capensis.** Charming climber with light blue flowers. Extra choice.

#### ORNAMENTAL PEPPERS

**SOLANUM 1895—Capsicastrum Nanum, Jerusalem Cherry.** hhp, 1 ft. Small white flowers; bright red cherry-like fruits.

1896—**Cleveland Cherry.** Improved Jerusalem.

1899—**Variegated Leaved.** Conspicuously variegated leaves with clusters of bright berries. Remains beautiful over a long period.

1900—**Mixed.** Ornamental Solanum.



Ornamental Peppers



Passion Vine

## THE HERB GARDEN

Grandmother's garden with its delicious and fascinating odors, and delicate unassuming blossoms was a real contribution to the family. Many herbs have fine medicinal properties and others add flavor to meats and vegetables. Herb seasoning makes cooking an art instead of a drudgery. Order yours early for supply is short. Pkts. 10c and 25c.

84—**AMBROSIA (Mexican Tea).** 3½ ft.

116—**ANISE (Pimpinella).** 1 ft. White fls. Seeds used for flavoring or tea for colic.

293—**BALM (Melisso off.).** 2 ft. Whitish bloom, lemon flavor, makes tea for illness. Bee food.

304—**BASIL (Ocimum).** Sweet Purple Bush. Very fragrant and handsome. Used for flavoring.

337—**BORAGE (Borago Off.).** 2 ft. Blue fls. Good bee food. Used for flavoring foods.

451—**CARAWAY (Russian).** 1 ft. Fragrant seeds used for flavoring breads, meats and liquors.

490—**CATNIP (Nepeta cataria).** 3 ft. Tea from leaves aids digestion, useful in upset stomach.

526—**CHAMOMILE (Anthemis nobilis).** 1 ft. Flrs. used in tonic for abating fevers; upset stomach.

531—**CHIVES (Allium sch.).** Delicate onion flavored foliage. Good in salad or soup.

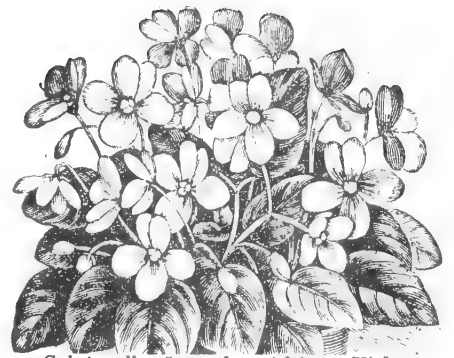
600—**CORIANDER (C. Sativum).** White seeds used in confections, young leaves used in salads.

772—**DILL (Anethum graveolens).** 2 ft. Yellow flrs. Leaves for flavoring pickles and sauces.

832—**FENNEL, Sweet (Foeniculum off.).** 4 ft. Leaves used in fish sauces and for garnishing.

978—**HENBANE (Hyoscyamus niger).** Medicinal.

1021—**HOREHOUND (Marrubium vulgare).** 2 ft. Leaves steeped in boiling water makes good cough remedy.



Saintpaulia Ionantha, African Violet

1794—**SAINTPAULIA Ionantha Grandiflora Mrs. Odom's Magnificent Strain (African Violet).** hhp, 6". We are delighted to be able to offer seeds of African Violets again, and from one of the finest collections in America. All the colors, white, pink, blue, red, single and double are represented. Mrs. H. W. Odom is one of the foremost authorities on African Violets. The flowers must be carefully hand pollinated in order to produce seed. We are the sole distributors for Mrs. Odom's magnificent strain. Pkt. (100 seeds) 25c.

**AFRICAN VIOLET CULTURE.** The seed are small and need the same culture as the Gloxinia, being of the same family. Peat, sand and light soil will give a good potting mixture. They like a light place, shaded from the direct rays of the sun. Care must be taken not to spill water on the leaves, tho they should be treated to a misty spray once a week.

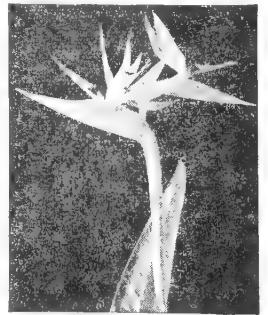
1688—**POINSIANA Gillesi** (Also sometimes called Bird of Paradise). Flowers light yellow with bright red stamens. Pkt. 25c.

June 21, 1947

#### BEGONIAS and GLOXINIAS

Received your flower bulb list and begonia seeds. I have about 20 little plants from them so far. The Gloxinia seeds came up good too. Respectfully yours, Mrs. M. F. Charlevoix, Mich.

1954—**STRELITZIA REGINA (Bird of Paradise).** A S. African herb of the Banana Family. 3 ft. hhp. Long leaves and yellow flowers with dark blue tongues and purple boat like bracts. Very odd and distinctly beautiful. Directions with every packet. Will endure some neglect but unless well cared for will fail to bloom. Worth ALL the trouble. 1 seed 15c; 2 seeds 25c; 10 seeds \$1.00. Available about 31st of March.



Strelitzia Regina

#### CINERARIAS and CALCEOLARIAS

Dear Mr. Park, March 24, 1947 I had a pkt. of your Cinerarias and Calceolarias last year and I just wish you could see my window. They are the most beautiful flowers for indoors. The first Cineraria came into blossom Jan. 14, and still has some flowers on it. They are right here now looking at me. The flowers are very large and so lovely. The neighbors have all been in to see them. I thought you would be pleased to hear about them.

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1137—**LAVENDER Munstead strain.** 2 ft. Lilac flrs. Delightful fragrance. Dry and make sachets.

1325—**MARJORAM, SWEET.** (Marjorana hortensis). 2 ft. ha. Sweet flowers in purple spikes.

1337—**MEDICAGO intertexta.** Crown of Thorns or Calvary Clover. ha. Yellow flrs., coiled pods.

1338—**MERCURY (Good King Henry)** Chenopodium. hp. Used like spinach, stalks like celery.

1752—**PURSLANE (Portulacca oleracea).** ha.

1792—**SAFFRON (Carthamus tinctorius).** ha, 1-3 ft. Orange flowers, make fine dye; leaves flavoring.

1793—**SAGE (Salvia off.)** Broad leaf. 1 ft. hp. Sub-shrub, blue flrs. Lvs used in seasoning.

1840—**SAVORY, SUMMER.** (Satureja annua). ha, 18 in. Aromatic tops for seasoning and flavoring.

1841—**SAVORY, WINTER.** (S. Montana). hp, 1 ft. Dwf, evergreen, Lilac flrs. Use as Summer Savory.

2011—**TANSY.** (Tanacetum vulgare). 4 ft. Dense yellow flowers. Leaves used as garnish.

2015—**THYME English.** (Thymus vulgaris). hp, 6 in. Widely used seasoning herb.

204—**WOODRUFF, Dyers.** (Asperulea tinctoria). hp, 2 ft. Reddish roots. Used in making dyes.

2137—**WORMWOOD.** (Artemesia). hp, 1 ft. Tea from the very bitter leaves used as vermifuge.

203—**WOODUFF BLUE.** (Azura setosa). Does well in shade or sun. ha, 1 ft.

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Longgreen Snapbean. Pkt. 15c

## BUSH BEANS

**V6—Longgreen Snapbean** (C, Q). 52 days. Comparable to and improvement over the popular Keystonian and tendergreen beans. The attractive round, stringless, long tender pods are heavily produced hardy, sturdy, broad leaved plants. 1946 Medal Winner and a bean that should be in every vegetable garden. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; 1 lb. 50c.

**\*V2—BOUNTIFUL BUSH** (Q). 48 days. The best Snapbean; absolutely unsurpassed in quality, productiveness and continuous bearing. The pods are flat, tender, stringless; early, hardy, vigorous. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c.

**\*V7—PARK'S PERFECTION** (Q, F, C). 49 days. Thick round, juicy, brittle, meaty, entirely stringless. This bean is 6 inches long and of finest flavor. A heavy bearing, strictly bush type. Finest for Home Gardens. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c.

**\*V3—COMMODORE** (C, F) (Dwarf Kentucky Wonder). 58 days. 6½ in. slightly curved, round, tender, stringless, fleshy dark green pods, reddish purple seeds. Splendid new bean (1938 medal). Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 35c; 1 lb. 60c.

**\*V18—LOGAN.** (C, F) 55 days. Pods will set in hot weather, in adverse conditions. The plant is vigorous, erect, resistant to common bean mosaic and powdery mildew. Round, green, stringless, and relatively resistant to spotting from bacterial blight. 70 seeds per oz. Ideal where summer is hot and dry. For a certain crop try this delicious bean. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 35c; 1 lb. 60c. Postpaid.

**\*V10—STREAMLINER AA 1939.** 55 days. Most productive of the bush types, it will continue bearing long after others have ceased. Will bear an extra heavy crop of long, straight, semi flat pods of excellent quality; stringless, nearly fiberless, fleshy straight pods. 7 in. long. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 85c.

**V12—TENDERGREEN STRINGLESS** (Q, F, C). 52 days. Early prolific, long yielding and splendid. Pods round, light green, meaty, and tender. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 85c.

**V8—PENCIL-POD BLACK WAX** (Q, C). 54 days. Best of the black wax sorts; pods 7 ins. long, round, stringless, fleshy, brittle, clear yellow, vigorous. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 75c.

**\*V11—SURE CROP WAX.** 53 days. Quality has made this absolutely stringless, disease resisting, long, flat, prolific, showy, yellow podded, sure crop bean stand high. Eating quality is perfect. Matures in 45 days. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 30c; 1 lb. 45c.

**\*V14—TENDERPOD** (F, Q) (A. A. 1941). 48 days. Quality, tenderness, succulence and flavor unsurpassed from the time the pods first reach edible size. Best for the Home Gardener where superior table quality is appreciated. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 30c; 1 lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c.

**V19—BUSH BEANS MIXED.** Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c.

**\*V30—VEGETABLE SOYBEAN WILLIOMI.** 100 days. (F) This is the best of the edible sorts on the basis of quality for table use in both green shell and dry ripe bean. Plant erect and very prolific. The pods have less tendency to shatter than other varieties. Fine for quick freezing. At harvest time they remain in high quality stage longer. Rich in proteins. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 20c; 1 lb. 35c.

(C) Indicates varieties best for canning.  
(F) Varieties best for quick freezing.  
(Q) Indicates varieties of best flavor and quality for eating fresh.

## ALL AMERICAN WINNERS FOR 1948—See Pg. 4.

### V17—CHINESE SALAD BEAN

A delicious bean that is used for bean sprouts and served in chop suey and salads in the finest Oriental Cafes. Enough for a good sized family can be grown in a small dish or pan in the kitchen in only 3-5 days. Grow in water only, without soil, sunshine or chemicals. This bean is excellent for soups. Pkt. 15c; ½ pint 30c; Pint 45c; Quart 85c

## ASPARAGUS

**\*V1—PARADISE** (Q, C, F). New. A highly rust resisting Asparagus producing even more heavily than Martha Washington, and often giving a crop a year earlier from seeds than other varieties. Large crisp tender stalks with exceptionally fine, mild flavor. Large pkt. 15c; oz. 50c.



Kentucky Wonder

## BEANS (Pole)

**\*V20 — KENTUCKY WONDER** (Q, C, F). 65 days. The most popular green podded pole bean. Bears a profusion of meaty pods often 9 inches long. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 2 lbs. 75c; 5 lbs. \$1.45.

**\*V22—POTOMAC** (Q) (A. A. 43). 65 days. Stringless at all stages of development. Long, slender, tender pods. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 30c; 1 lb. 55c.

**V23 — CORN FIELD** (Striped Creaseback or Scotia). 72 days. Productive, long, round pods, fleshy, tender, good quality, fine for growing with corn. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c.

**\*V21 — McCASLAN POLE.** 65 days. Early, prolific, 9-inch green podded, white seeded snapbean. Claimed the best on the market. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c.

## LIMA BEANS (Pole)

**\*V42—KING OF THE GARDEN, Pole** (Q, F). 88 days. The most popular pole lima bean, vigorous in growth and very productive. The pods are large and well filled. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c.

**V40—CAROLINA SIEVA BUTTER, Pole** (Q). 78 days. The popular Lima of the South; sure, continuous and heavy cropper; wonderfully productive. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c.

## BEETS

**V45—CROSBY'S EARLY EGYPTIAN** (Q). 50 days. A very early variety, dark red, flat-globe shaped roots and small tap root. Excellent for bunching. Be sure to try. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 15c.

**\*V46—DETROIT DARK RED** (Q, C, F). 58 days. The best all around beet; very early, medium size, globular, solid, deep red, sweet and tender, never woody; tops and taproot small; sure of a crop. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c; 1 oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 85c.

**\*V47—EARLY WONDER** (Q). 52 days. Globe-shaped, very superior. Best in earliness, solidity, tenderness, uniformity, sweetness, and rich red color; ideal for your garden. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c.

**V44—BEET MIXED VARIETIES.** Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 75c.

**BEET CULTURE.** As soon as soil can be worked in the spring, sow one seed to the inch in rows 18-24" apart. Cover ½ inch deep. Firm soil well over seed and water if necessary. Thin when roots begin to make globes to stand 4-5 in. apart. Plant a crop in midsummer to have them for storage and use in winter. If kept cleanly cultivated they will keep in the ground almost indefinitely. Rich in vitamin B1. 1 oz. sows 50 ft. row.

**BEAN CULTURE.** Plant one week before frost proof date. Rows should be 1½-2 ft. apart. Plant seeds 4 in. apart and cover 2 inches deep. Soil should be warm and moist for best germination. Cultivate often and not deeply until vines blossom, then stop so that roots will not be injured. Keep pods picked as soon as they ripen. This keeps them bearing over a longer period. The young plants are heaviest yielding, so it is best to plant every two weeks for beans all season. ½ lb. of seed plants 50 ft. row.

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## LIMA BEANS (Bush)

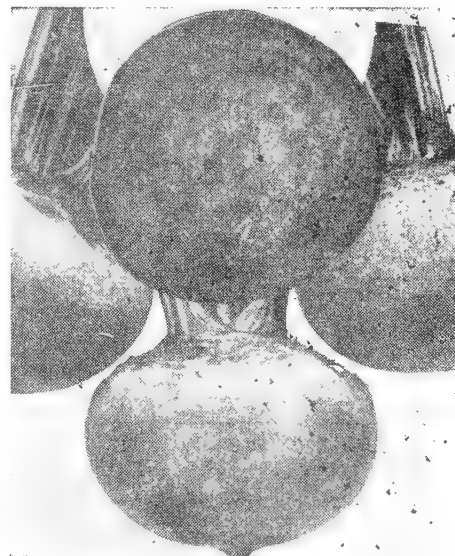
**\*V35—CANGREEN** (C, Q). A. A. '43. 72 days. Cooks and cans green, retaining its good flavor. Stronger, more prolific, and slightly larger seeded than Park's Baby Lima. Finest for canning. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c.

**\*V39—PARK'S BABY LIMA** (Q, F, C). Bush. 65 days. The pods and beans are both quite small, but this variety is very valuable for its extreme earliness and the fact that it produces a large and sure crop of excellent quality right up until frost. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.90.

**V36—FORDHOOK, Bush** (Q, F, C). The finest of Lima Beans. 75 days. 18 in. Bears early, continuously, large clustered pods, large beans of fine quality, very productive, easiest to grow, and will give high yield. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 75c; 5 lbs. \$1.60.

**V29—EARLY MARKET** (Q, F). 73 days. Three days later than Henderson, seed three times larger. Prolific and heavy bearer. Finest variety for canning or freezing. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; 1 lb. 50c.

**V34—BUSH LIMA BEANS MIXED.** Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c.



Beet—Detroit Dark Red

**V51—BROCCOLI, (Q. C. F.) New Sprouting.** A new sort bearing 90 days a large cauliflower-like head of fine quality, tender and sweet. When this head is cut, numerous branches appear producing heads; these are cut with 3 in. stems and boiled for table use. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c; 1 oz. 35c.

**V52—BRUSSELS SPROUTS, (Q. F.) 120 days.** Long Island Improved. 20-24 in. tall with a thick set of small cabbage-like heads the entire length of the stem. Heads 1½ in. diam., dark green, excellent. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 40c; 1 oz. 70c.

**\*V50—BORECOLE, Kale, Dwarf Scotch. (Q.)** Green Curled Scotch. 55 days. A hardy plant, 18 ins. high, handsome curled foliage; winter greens. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 20c; 1 oz. 35c.

## (Q, C) CABBAGE—Brassica

**\*V53—All Seasons. (Q. C.) 85 days.** Stands hot weather. Head round, weight 12 lbs. Rich quality sure to head. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 25c; 1 oz. 45c.

**\*V54—Copenhagen Market, (Q.) 72 days.** Very fine, very early, short stem, solid round head, few outer leaves, upright growth, select stock. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 40c; 1 oz. 60c.

**V55—Danish Ball Head, (Q. C.) 105 days.** Late fall or winter. Extremely heavy, solid heads, excellent keeper. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 35c; 1 oz. 65c.

**V56—Early Jersey Wakefield (Q.) 62 days.** Select stock. The earliest of cabbages, very solid, sweet, tender, eaten raw or cooked. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 45c.

**V58—Perfection Drumhead Savoy, (Q.) 90 days.** Milder, more pleasing flavor than other cabbages. Easiest culture, fine crinkly heads, sweet; rivals cauliflower. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 30c; 1 oz. 50c.

**\*V59—Red Rock Special, (Q.) 110 days.** Used extensively for boiling and pickling. Yellows resistant. Unsurpassed red cabbage with large, solid, round heads. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 30c; 1 oz. 55c.

## CHINESE CABBAGE

**\*V60—Chihili, or Improved Pekin, (Q.) 73 days.** 18 in. Hardy, early, long, slim, firm. Well blanched heads of delicious tenderness. Excellent keeper. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 25c; 1 oz. 45c.

## COLLARDS

**\*V78—Cabbage Collard.** Forms small, white, deliciously tender heads. Stands hot and cold weather. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 20c; 1-4 lb. 60c.

## CAULIFLOWER

**\*V71—Park's Super Snowball, (Q. F.)** The finest, earliest and most profitable strain. Large heads with generous protection of leaves to keep heads white. Will be ready to cut before ordinary varieties are ready. For early crop, sow in hot bed in Jan. or Feb., transplant when danger of freezing is past. For late crop, sow in May or June like cabbage. Pkt. 10c; 1-8 oz. 65c; 1-4 oz. 95c.

**V72—Snowdrift or White Mountain, (Q. F.)** Early and one of the surest headers known. Slightly larger than Snowball, compact, upright, self-protecting leaves cover head during early stages. Snow white, solid, compact. Pkt. 10c; Large Pkt. 25c; 1-8 oz. 35c; 1-4 oz. 90c.

**HYBRID SWEET CORN** excels in three ways: Heavier yield, more even maturity, and resistance to Stewart's disease and other troubles. Open pollinated corn will mature unevenly and give edible ears from one planting over a longer period.

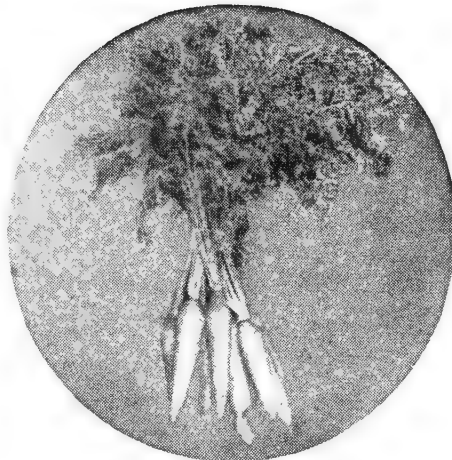
**CORN CULTURE.** Sow two weeks before frost proof date, seeds 2 inches deep, three inches apart; to be thinned to six inches; or six seeds to a hill, 2 ft. apart, and thin to three stalks. Time succession sowings two weeks apart, or plant varieties which mature at different times for Roasting ears all season. Frequent, shallow cultivation. Pound plants 200 hills.

## PARK'S Superior HYBRID SWEET CORN

**V82—\*GOLDEN CROSS BANTAM. Hybrid Sweet Corn.** 80 days. New, 8 days later than Golden Bantam. Sturdy 7 ft. stalks bearing 2 uniform 8 in. ears. Fine yield, deliciously sweet and good. Try it. 2 oz. pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 30c; 1 lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 95c; 5 lbs. \$2.00.

**\*V80—Corneli's Gold Rush Hybrid, (Q. C.) 65 days.** A first early yellow hybrid produces 8½ in. ears, 12-14 rowed, well filled to the tip, beautiful golden yellow grains, tight husk. Produces 2 ears of tender, sweet fine flavored corn on each 6 ft. stalk. 2 oz. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 35c; 1 lb. 65c; 2 lbs. \$1.10.

**V92—Erie Hybrid, (Q. C. F.) A. A. '47. 88 days.** This fine new hybrid produces a plant 6 in. taller than Golden Cross Bantam, and out-yields it. Kernels are decidedly narrower and in actual canning tests has been proven to have good quality. Plants are wilt resistant, vigorous and relatively drought resistant. Ears long, cylindrical, tapered, 12-14 rows of delicious corn. Pkt. 15c; 2 Pkts. 25c; ½ lb. 40c; 1 lb. 70c; 2 lbs. \$1.30.



**V65—Carrot, Danver's Improved. Pkt. 10c.**

## CARROTS

**\*V65—Danver's Improved (Q.) 75 days.** The best; stump-rooted, orange-red tender. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c.

**V67—Nantes Coreless. (F) 68 days.** A highly developed carrot with scarcely any visible core. Early and popular for frame culture. Roots 4-5 ins. long, tender, well flavored. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c.

**V68—Red Cored Chantenay, (Q. C.) 70 days.** New Strain. Sweet rich flavor—deep orange red, coreless and tender. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c.

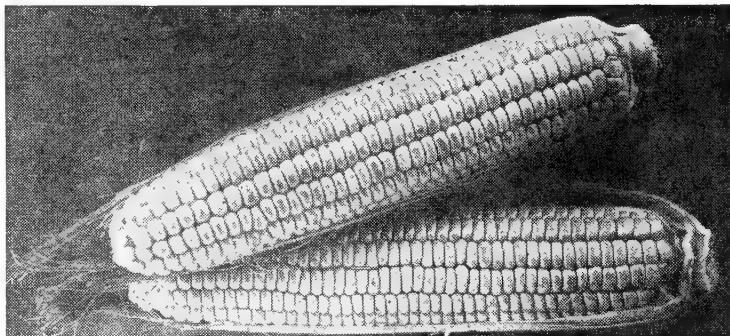
**\*V69—Tendersweet, (Q. S.) 75 days.** 8 to 10 in. roots are smooth and uniform, rich orange red color. Exceptionally heavy yielder, sweet and tender. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 30c; 1 oz. 50c; 4 ozs. \$1.50.

**V70—Sweetheart. (G.) 70 days.** Superior to Touch-on. Deep orange coloring extends evenly thruout the flesh. Blunt end, slender cylinder shape 1½ in. x 6 in. and is tender, brittle, exceptionally sweet. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 30c; oz. 50c; 2 pkts. for 25c.

**CARROT CULTURE.** Use rich deeply worked soil. Sow as soon as soil can be prepared in shallow drills, 5 seeds to inch. Rows should be 16-18 in. apart. Thin when of finger size, and serve discards. Carrots will mature well when growing close enough to touch, and will remain delicious all season, but many prefer them young and make several sowings. Cultivate frequently. 1 oz. plants 100 ft. row; full maturity in 10-14 weeks.

**V77—CHIVES. (Q.)** Onion like, but with more delicate flavor. Tops used for flavoring and garnishing stews, soups; tops continually form. Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.

**\*V100—CRESS, Curled Garden (Pepper Grass).** somewhat pungent, pleasing aroma; for flavoring, garnishing, and salad. Pkt. 10c and 25c.



**V82—Golden Cross Bantam—Hybrid Sweet Corn. Pkt. 10c**

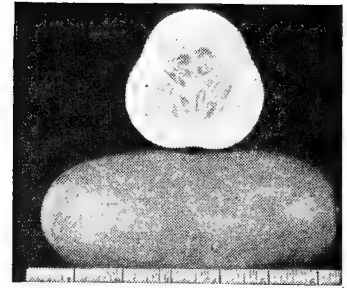
**V83—Ioana Hybrid. (C.) (1940 Bronze Medal.) 83 days.** A splendid mid-season hybrid. Vigorous, heat and drought resistant, with uniform cylindrical 8 in. ears, light yellow 12-14 row kernels. 2 oz. 10c; ½ lb. 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.10.

**V84—Stowell's Top Cross or Evergreen Hybrid. (Q. F. C.) 96 days.** 12 to 16 rows of deliciously tender glistening white kernels. 8 ft. stalks, 8 in. ears. Heavy yielding, late. The best white hybrid. 2 oz. 10c; ½ lb. 35c; 1 lb. 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.00.

**V81—CARMELCROSS or Marcross 39. (Q) 73 days.** Developed at the Connecticut Experiment Station. 6 ft. tall. 2 ears per stalk. Ears 7½ in. long, 12-14 rows, medium yellow. Fills well. Delicious and tender. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 95c.

**V85—LINCOLN. (Q) 83 days.** Bronze Medal A.A. winner. Golden yellow. Large ears 8 in. long 12-16 rows; well filled to the tip. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 35c; lb. 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.15.

**V95—HYBRID SWEET CORN MIXED.** For corn from early to late in the season, plant this fine mixture. It contains varieties which will mature in 65, 75, 80, 85, 95 days to give you "Corn on the Cob" for a month. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. 55c; 2 lbs. \$1.00.



## CUCUMBER

**V109—West India Gherkin. (C.) Special for Pickles.** Gherkins are the right shape, size, and of delicious tenderness for pickles. Used by the most fastidious. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c.

**\*V110—White Wonder. White Spine, 55 days.** All creamy white, 8 in. x 2½ in., firm, straight, solid, good quality. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c.

**\*V111—Woodruff's Hybrid. (Q.) Best for a full crop; blight free, the fruits are large, come early, are abundantly produced.** Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 30c.

**\*V103—Jersey Pickling. (C.) Good for pickles; cut the fruits regularly and a few plants will give you an immense crop. A fine and productive Cucumber for pickling.** Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c; 4 oz. 70c.

**V104—Marketer. Bronze Medal. '43. (Q.) Ideal slicing, fine keeping kind. White spine, smooth, exceptionally uniform dark green.** Trials show it to be the nearest perfect yet. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 25c

**V108—Syrian. (Q.) New and Different. Prolific producer on cantaloupe-like vine. The fruit is fine flavored, tender and wholesome. As it ages is delightful prepared and cooked as squash. Try it, you will be pleased.** Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c.

## CELERY

**\*V74—Golden Self-Blanching. (Q.)** Finest garden sort, early, vigorous, with lovely golden yellow, highly flavored stalks. The best all-round celery. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 60c; 1 oz. \$1.00.

## EGG PLANT

**V120—Black Beauty. (Q.)** Earliest, very large, elegant dark purple; finest sort. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 45c; oz. 80c.

**V121—New Hampshire Hybrid. (Q.)** Leading A. A. vegetable winner with Silver Medal. Upright, uniform plants bear profuse crop of early, rich dark purple fruits. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 45c; 1 oz. 85c.

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## OPEN POLLINATED CORN

**V94—GOLDEN MIDGET. (Q. F) 70 days.** For small gardens or those who wish to freeze corn on the cob. Stalks 2½ ft. high; Ears 4-5 in. long; extremely sweet and tender. More plants can be grown in a limited space, and the low stalks do not shade neighbors in the small garden. Many stalks produce 2 or more ears. 2 oz. pkt. 25c; 3 for .65c.

**\*V86—Golden Bantam Improved. (Q. F.) 70 days.** True, very early, sweet, unsurpassed in quality. 3 oz. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 2 lbs. 70c.

**\*V87—Stowell's Evergreen Improved. (Q. F. C.) 100 days.** Late, very sweet, most productive, the best for drying and canning, also for the table. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 85c.

## FIELD ROASTING EAR

**V93—Trucker's Favorite. 78 days.** Hardy, strong growing. White, tender, fairly sweet 12-16 rowed. Good for roasting ears also for a main field crop. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 20c; 1 lb. 35c.

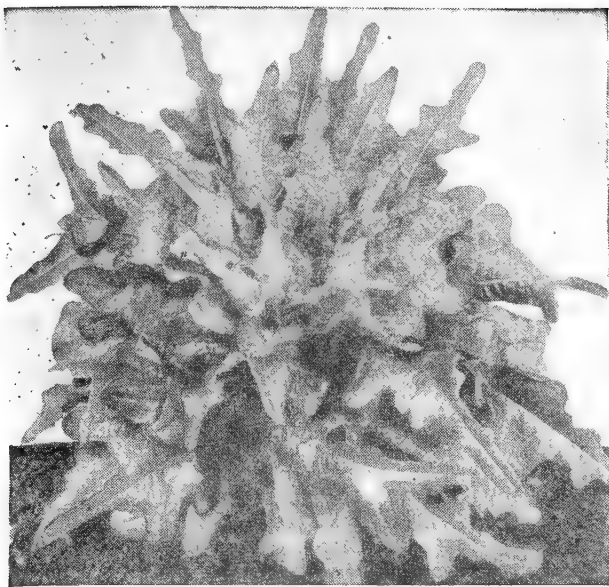
## POPCORN

**V90—Strawberry Popcorn.** Not only a fine popcorn, but an attractive decoration. Tiny ears 2 in. long and 1½ in. wide are mahogany color resemble giant strawberries. Pkt. 15c; 2 pkts 25c.

**V96—HYBRID SOUTH AMERICAN GIANT POP CORN.** 100 days. Pops larger, more tender and better flavored kernels than Dynamite. When popped the kernels are creamy white, and nearly hullless. Surpasses all other varieties in yield, is cold resistant and can be planted early. Withstands drought and high winds better than any other variety. 2 oz. Pkt. 20c; 3 pkts. 50c.

**\*V88—Dynamite, or (South American), 100 days.** One of the best and largest popping kernels. Stalk 7½ ft., ear 7 in. Pops to largest size of any. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 2 lbs. 70c.





V141—Lettuce (Leaf Bronze Beauty) Pkt. 15c.

## LEAF LETTUCE

V141—BRONZE BEAUTY. (Q) 40 days. 1947 winner of Bronze medal. Really new. Bronze Beauty is tender, crisp and of unusual nut-like flavor. The finest most colorful and most delicious lettuce for the home gardener. Plants are vigorous, well formed, uniform and resistant to hot weather. A new color—Warm ruddy bronze sheen completely diffuses the soft green. Pkt. 15c; 2 pks. 25c.

V144—GRAND RAPIDS. 42 days. The leading loose leaf lettuce, frilled, light green and compact, tender, juicy and fine. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c.

\*V143—CURLED SIMPSON. 45 days. Earliest, finest leaf-lettuce. Frilled and crumpled brittle leaves. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 20c; 4 oz. 60c.

## SEMI-HEADING LETTUCE

V149—OAK LEAF. (Q) 40 days. Medium size, semi-heading type. The beautiful cut leaf (Oak Leaf) foliage is attractive, crisp and tasty. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 25c; 1 oz. 40c.

## HEAD LETTUCE

V145—ALL AMERICAN SUMMER LETTUCE GREAT LAKES. (Q) 75 days. A heading variety of the Imperial type that is highly resistant to tipburn, and productive of solid heads under adverse conditions. The leaves are large and well-folded, the ribs not too heavy. Pkt. 15c; 2 Pkts. 25c; 1 oz. 50c.

\*V146—HOT WEATHER. (Q) 82 days. Best all-round sort for spring, summer, fall, winter; heads big, blanched, buttery, finest flavor, tender, sweet, luscious; no sun too hot, no cold too severe for it; sure crop. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 45c; 4 oz. \$1.60.

V148—NEW YORK or WONDERFUL. 80 days. Huge heads, tender, sweet. Hearts pure white, crisp and tender. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 35c; 4 oz. \$1.00.

\*V147—ICEBERG (Genuine Iceberg). 82 days. Beautiful, crisp and tender. The compact, crumpled, tightly folded heads are surrounded by fringed green leaves tinged red at edges. Long season. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 20c; 4 oz. 60c.

V140—BIBB. (Q) 57 days. A distinct butterhead, very dark green variety. Plant small, forming a rather loosely folded head of small size. Leaves thick, deep green. Quality excellent, and quite in demand by luxury hotels. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 45c.

## OKRA (Gumbo)

\*V176—CLEMSON SPINELESS. (Q) 56 days. Silver Medal. Splendid all purpose, green podded, spineless variety of excellent quality. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 20c; ¼ lb. 45c.

V177—DWARF EARLY PROLIFIC. 55 days. Compact plants bear a huge crop of rich long meaty pods. Exceptionally fine. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 20c.

\*V178—WHITE VELVET. 60 days. 4 ft. Vigorous, bearing an abundance of smooth, very tender silvery pods. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 20c; 4 oz. 45c.

V175—LOUISIANA CERTIFIED SPINELESS GREEN VELVET. (Q). Here is a new variety which will not prick your hands as you gather this finest quality Okra from the most productive plants. Pods are 7 in. long, ¾ in. in diam., green, smooth, round and spineless. Fine for canning or just plain eating. Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c.

## PUMPKINS

V236—SMALL SUGAR. 100 days. Small round fruits; sweet orange flesh. Pkt. 10c; 4 oz. 45c. V237—WINTER LUXURY or LARGE CHEESE. 110 days. Grand pie pumpkins. Improved strain. Flesh deep golden, tender sweet. Winter keeping. Pkt. 10c; 4 oz. 45c.

## KOHL RABI

V131—EARLY WHITE VIENNA. Prolific. 55 days. A vegetable between a turnip and a cabbage. When boiled and seasoned makes a fine dish. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 4 oz. \$1.00.

\*V130—PURPLE VIENNA. 60 days. A few days later. The fleshy purplish bulb is mild flavored and good. Pkt. 10c; oz. 35c; 4 oz. \$1.00.

## ENDIVE (Cichorium)

\*V125 — BATAVIAN BROAD LEAVED or ESCAROLLE. 90 days. Broad bright green, twisted leaves with compact creamy white heart. A great favorite. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c.

V127—WHITE CURLED. 70 days. A slightly earlier variety, similar to Green Curled, but of a light green color. It blanches well and has a fine flavor. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c.

## MUSKMELON (Cantaloupe)

Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 35c; 4 oz. 95c.

\*V164—ROCKY FORD. 91 days. The greatest favorite on the market today. Nearly round netted melon with green flesh, tinged gold.

V160—BANANA. 94 days. Exceptionally good; this melon will develop to 18 in. long and 4-5 in. thick, weighing about 7 lbs. and matured in 90-95 days. The outer skin is lemon colored and the pink flesh is fine textured and delicate. Try it.

V162—HEARTS OF GOLD. 80 days. Enticing deep orange flesh, and distinctly delicious flavor.

\*V161—HALE'S BEST. 88 days. The flesh is thick and sweet, salmon colored Earliest of Rocky Ford.

\*V163—PRIDE OF WISCONSIN. 92 days. (All American 1939). Slightly oval, coarse netting. Small seed cavity, thick salmon flesh. Sweet.

## MUSTARD

V170—BROAD LEAF. 43 days. Fine, large rapid growing, thick broad green leaf. Variety of delicious quality. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c.

V171—GIANT CURLED. 35 days. A plant with beautiful, large, fern-like leaves, pungent and a favorite to use as a salad or boiled and served like spinach. The seeds also used for flavoring. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c.

\*V173—TENDERGREENS (Mustard Spinach). 28 days. A new vegetable resembling curled mustard but much heavier and more bulky. Develops in short time and produces several crops during a season. Pkt. 10c; oz. 20c.

## PARSLEY

V191—MOSS CURLED. 70 days. 8 in. Leading variety of extra curled rich dark green. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c; 4 oz. 70c.

\*V192—PARAMOUNT. 70 days. All American Award. New. Unusually dark green triple curled and handsome. Does not tipburn. The parsley par excellent. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 90c.

V190—EVERGREEN. (1940 Silver Medal). 70 days. Rapid and vigorous grower with uniform, dense, deeply fringed and curled foliage. Very resistant to frost. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 30c; 4 oz. 90c.

## PARSNIPS

V193—ALL AMERICAN. (Q) 95 days. Wide shouldered, deep crowned roots of clear white. Fine in texture and free from stringiness. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

\*V194—LARGE SUGAR. (Q) 100 days. A delicious hardy vegetable; sow in rows in spring or summer, cultivate and let remain in ground. Lift the roots in winter or spring when wanted for use. They are fine to boil with potatoes or carrots or parboil and fry. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 90c.

## PEANUTS

V198—PEANUT RED TENNESSEE Splendid large nutty sweet kernels. Two and three to a pod. Pkt. 10c;

½ lb. 35c; lb. 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.00.

V199—SWEET SPANISH. 110 days. Dwarf bushes grow close and are easily cultivated and gathered. Kernels are sweet and delicious. Pkt. 10c; ½ lb. 40c; 1 lb. 65c.

## RADISH

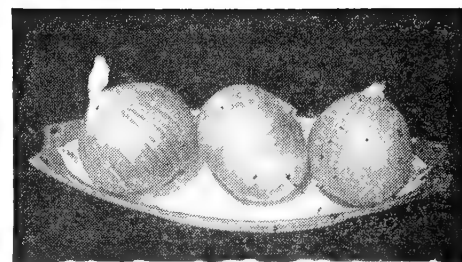
Each variety: Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 15c; 4 oz. 40c.

V241—LONG SCARLET. A firm, lasting sort, enduring heat, retaining its crispness through early summer.

\*V245—WHITE ICICLE. Best summer sort, maturing quickly. Rich flavored and spicy, white.

V244—VICK'S SCARLET GLOBE. For forcing or outdoors, this variety will give the best satisfaction. The root is globe-shaped and bright scarlet.

V243—STRASBURG WHITE SUMMER. An excellent, well-known summer radish that is so adapted to growing in hot weather that it retains its mild, pungent flavor and crisp qualities over a long period. 5-6 in. long, smooth, fine textured, white.



Onion, Danver's Yellow Globe Improved

## ONION—(Allium Ceba)

\*V181—DANVER'S YELLOW GLOBE IMPROVED. 112 days. Large, early, sweet, sure crop first season; keeps well; the best commercial onion. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 20c; ½ oz. 30c; 1 oz. 50c. V183—JAPANESE or EBENEZER. 120 days. Fine keeper. Extensively used for producing sets. A heavy producer of flattened yellow bulbs, fine flavor. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 35c; 1 oz. 60c.

V184—PRIZETAKER. 110 days. Extra large globe shaped, exhibition variety with mild, crisp, juicy white flesh under the thin golden brown skin. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c; ½ oz. 40c; 1 oz. 70c.

V187—YELLOW BERMUDA. 95 days. Skin pale straw yellow, flesh creamy white, mild and sweet. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c; ½ oz. 40c; 1 oz. 70c.

\*V180—CRYSTAL WAX (White Bermuda). 95 days. Unusually mild, exceedingly beautiful, early and easily grown. Splendid for home or market garden. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c; ½ oz. 40c; 1 oz. 70c.

V186—SWEET SPANISH, YELLOW VALENCIA. 110 days. Large Spanish Globe-shaped, bright golden yellow. Long keeping, uniform and mild. All American award. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c; ½ oz. 40c; 1 oz. 70c.

V182—ONION EVERGREEN White Bunching. 120 days. A splendid new variety. The silvery white long leek-like stalks in clusters of 4-8 grow to twice the size of ordinary bunching. Be sure to try it. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c; ½ oz. 45c; 1 oz. 85c. V132—LEEK, American Flag. Like an onion, considered superior in flavor to onion and used accordingly. Sow in rows and hill up the soil to blanch the tops. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 40c; 1 oz. 75c.

## FINEST SWEET PEPPER

Capsicum Fruiteens

V221—BELL or BULLNOSE. 70 days. Tall erect plant bears many large, square shaped, sweet, thick fleshed mild flavored fruits. A standard and popular variety. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 50c; 1 oz. 95c.

\*V225—HARRIS EARLY GIANT. 63 days. Best sweet pepper, early, very productive. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 50c; ¼ oz. 35c.

\*V226—PIMIENTO. 75 days. A small, extremely mild, smooth skinned dark green changing to dark red, delicious relish and canning pepper. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 40c; 1 oz. 75c.

V230—WINDSOR A. (All American Award). 60 days. Newest giant, thick walled, early, tremendous yielding, in a class par excellent. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 50c.

\*V222—CALIFORNIA WONDER IMPROVED. 75 days. Plants are very vigorous, upright, prolific. Fruits, 4 lobed, upright, attractive with smooth uniform deep green coloring changing to bright crimson; flesh thick, sweet and mild. One of the finest. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c; ½ oz. 45c; 1 oz. 85c.

\*V229—SWEET BANANA (Leader in 1941. All American Vegetable Winners). 65 days. Very early, heavy cropper. Long pointed 6 in. thick sweet flesh yellow fruits, turning red at maturity. Excellent. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 25c; ½ oz. 40c; 1 oz. 75c.

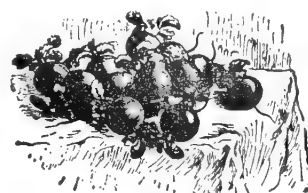
## HOT PEPPER

V223—CAYENNE, Long Red. 70 days. Fruits 5 in. in length, pointed, bright red and very hot. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 35c; ½ oz. 50c.

V228—RED CHILI. 82 days. Fruit, 1 in. long, round, smooth, solid, very pungent, color deep green changing to scarlet. Popular for use as pickles. Pkt. 10c; ¼ oz. 35c; ½ oz. 50c.

V250—PIE PLANT. (Rheum Excelsior), hp, 6 ft. Every home garden should have a row of Rhubarb; the stems make a most excellent and wholesome sauce especially flavored for pies. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 30c.

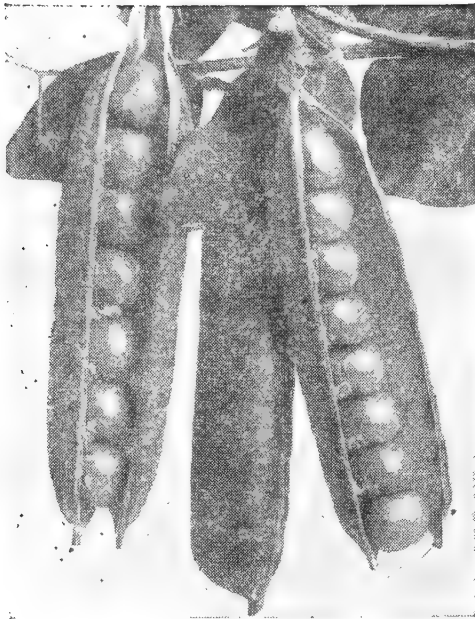
V252—SALSIFY, Giant Vegetable Oyster. 120 days. For soup, excellent, roots three times ordinary size. Pkt. 10c; ½ oz. 40c; 1 oz. 70c.



Radish Saxa

\*V242—Saxa. 20 days. Early round small bright scarlet. Flesh white, crisp and sweet.

V240—FRENCH BREAKFAST. Earliest, hardiest, favorite sort. Ready in 25 days after sowing.



V204—Model Extra Early. Pkt. 10c; lb. 40c.

## GARDEN PEAS

Peas are a cool weather crop. Plant hardier smooth-seeded varieties, as Morning Star, as soon as ground is suitable to work. Followed by Wrinkled Seeded Sorts. Plant a succession of varieties in 3 ft. rows  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch deep, 2 inches apart. Cultivate as long as plants will allow. Stake.

### WRINKLED PEAS

\*V201—Early Gradus, (F) 65 days. Very reliable producer, and famous for its fine qualities of hardness and productivity. Pods 4 in. long, broad, plump, pointed and contain 8-10 sweet tender peas. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 2 lbs. 75c.

\*V202—Chieftian or (Potlatch) 60 days. Best wrinkled pea, best in quantity and quality, a wealth of huge sugary peas, 10 to the pod; follows Laxtonian. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c; 1 lb. 35c; 2 lbs. 55c.

\*V203—Little Marvel, (Q). 63 days, 15 in. Early, extra quality 3 in. rounded pods—full of tender sweet deep green wrinkled peas. Best garden sort. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 2 lbs. 60c.

\*V204—Model Extra Early (Blue Bantam). (Q, C). 60 days. Deliciously sweet and tender. Extra fine for market or home garden. The vine grows about 18 in. high and produces a mammoth crop of uniformly large wrinkled peas. Matures in about 60 days. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 2 lbs. 65c. V205—Tall New Telephone. (Q). 75 days. The most popular, late, large podded pea on the market. Needs support. Vines grow  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. bearing long  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in. pointed, dark green pods of luscious sugary peas. Unexcelled. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 2 lbs. 75c.

V200—American Wonder. (Q). 60 days. Early. Dwarf. New. 15 in. Sturdy vine with medium green  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. blunt pods of delicious tender peas. Very choice and fine. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 2 lbs. 75c.

### EDIBLE PODDED PEAS

\*V208—Giant Melting Sugar. (Q). 72 days. The most popular edible podded pea. 5 ft. vines, bearing long, broad, stringless tender pods of rich flavor. Cook while young. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c.

### SMOOTH SEEDED PEAS

\*V209—Morning Star. 55 days. Earliest pea on the market. Masses of small  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. pale green pods packed with smooth seeds, deliciously sweet and tender. First quality for home garden or canning. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 85c.

\*V206—Extra Early Alaska. (C). 56 days. Hardy, early, smooth seeded delicate variety. Productive and long bearing. Sow in fall or early spring. Ready in about 50 days. Superior. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 20c; 1 lb. 35c; 2 lbs. 65c.

V207—Laxton's Progress. (Q, F). 60 days. Early heavy producer, large podded. Vines dwarf 16-18 in. high. Pods handsome, dark green, uniform  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, 7-9 large, tender peas of delicious flavor. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c; 2 lbs. 70c.

### TABLE FIELD PEAS

V212—Brown Sugar Crowder. (Q, C). The most popular edible podded Sugar Crowder. Produces long, round, medium green pods with delicious peas. Good in green stage or dry for winter use. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c.

V211—Black Eyed Peas. (Q, C). Popular small cream peas with dark eye Dwarf plants, abundant crop. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 35c; 2 lbs. 55c.

V210—White Lady. (Q, C). Very prolific. Round pods of small green peas. Wonderful when dry for winter use. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 25c; 1 lb. 40c.

## THE BEST Tomatoes

Rich in Vitamins, A, B-1, and C and iron.

"The Tomato with the extra slice"

V305—SUPER MASTER MARGLOBE. (Q, C).

73 days. Rightly the most popular tomato among home gardeners and market growers alike, for it produces large, smooth, meaty, globular, red fruits with very small seed cavity. Fruits ripen evenly and free from cracks. Marglobe produces an extremely heavy crop and is resistant to rust, wilt and blight. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; 1 oz. 50c.

\*V312—Victor. (Q). 60 days—first early. (All American Bronze Medal). The vigorous plants are small and can be planted closely together. Abundant crop of extra early, smooth, scarlet fruits which do not crack. Splendid for early home and market use. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; 1 oz. 65c.

V308—Golden Queen. 83 days. The finest golden yellow tomato. Fruits are firm and delicious. Beautiful for slicing. Pkt. 10c; 1-4 oz. 25c.

V306—Oxheart. 86 days. A wonderfully fine slicing variety. Main crop sort, producing large, pink fruits, bulging near the stem and tapering to a point. Very solid, almost no seed cells. Pkt. 10c.

V304—GOLDEN JUBILEE. (Q). 72 days. Beautiful tangerine—orange flesh and yellow skin. A wonderful color combination for salads, with red tomato quality and delicious flavor. Heavy grower, narrow foliage. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; 1 oz. 95c.

V302—Pan American. (C). Wilt resistant. It does not wilt. New prolific strain of ideal size and shape. Introduced by U. S. Dept. of Agr. This is the only Tomato which is considered 100% field immune to Fusarium wilt. Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 25c.

V313—Yellow Pear. 70 days. Small yellow pear-shaped fruits are produced in great abundance. Fine for salads or marmalade. Sweet and delicious. Pkt. 10c; 1-4 oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45c.

V319—TOMATOES MIXED. Pkt. 10c.

**TOMATO CULTURE.** Plant Park's Treated seed  $\frac{1}{2}$  in. deep in hotbed or box in the house six weeks before setting out, which should be after danger of chill is over. For plants to bear from August until Frost, seed where plants are to grow in May.

For sure set, for seedless Tomatoes. Spray with Fruitone. The new Hormone substance. Pkt. 25c.

### WINTER SQUASH

V271—Blue Hubbard. (Very Special.) Uniform rounded neck at each end with blue-gray outer skin and fine flavored golden meat. Excellent keeper. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 30c; 4 oz. \$1.00.

\*V273—Table Queen Improved or Royal Acorn. 82 days.  $7\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, 6 in. across with  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. thick flesh, dry and sweet. Keeps well for winter storage. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25c; 1 oz. 40c.

### SUMMER SQUASH

When danger of frost has passed, plant 8-10 seeds in hills 4 ft. apart, in rich deep soil, later thin to 3 plants.

V269—White Bush Scallop. (Q). (Patty Pan.) 54 days. Very early, prolific 8 in. smooth, creamy, white skinned, flattened, scalloped fruits of excellent quality. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c; 1-4 lb. 75c.

V268—Giant Summer Crookneck. 58 days. Productive, large, late deep yellow, warted squash. Used for home and market. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c.

\*V266—Baby Crookneck, (Q). 53 days. Light yellow, tender, and smaller crookneck than the giant and earlier. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 20c; 4 oz. 65c.

\*V267—Conn. Straightneck. (Bronze Medal 1939.) 58 days. New, splendid, productive, early, lightly warted, lemon skinned, straight neck squash of merit. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c; 1-4 lb. 70c.

V276—YANKEE HYBRID. (Q). 50 days. All American. First generation hybrid. Produces a prolific yield of early waxy yellow fruits 8 in. long, 3 in. across, of excellent quality. Pkt. 15c; 2 for 25c.

V274—Black Zucchini. Italian Marrow. 56 days. Long smooth cylindrical 4 lb. dark green attractive fruits. Fine flavored greenish-white flesh. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 35c.

### SWISS CHARD

\*V279—Rhubarb Chard. A new Swiss Chard that looks like Rhubarb. Takes only 60 days to reach edible size of 20 in. Easy to grow, delicious to eat. Pkt.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25c; 1 oz. 45c.

V278—Lucullus. 60 days. Most widely grown chard. Stems and midribs are light green, broad and thick. Leaves light green, fleshy, crumpled, attractive. Finest for greens. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c.

### RUTABAGA TURNIP

\*V251—American Purple Top. 90 days. Our finest for home use. Roots large and globular, deep purplish red top, light yellow below. Flesh creamy, of finest texture and flavor. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 20c.

### TURNIPS

\*V322—Snowball. 50 days. A very early and perfectly formed, round, white turnip for garden use. Roots smooth and large. Flesh white, and very mild. Winter keeper. Oz. 10c; 1-4 lb. 35c.

V320—Purple-Top White Globe. 57 days. Largest, best all round turnip. Roots round, 5-6 in. in diam., purple top, pure white beneath. Flesh is white, fine grained, sweet. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 15c; 1-4 lb. 40c.



V399—RUTGERS. (Q, C). "For Fair Weather or Foul." 73 days. Fruit of great size (8 oz. average) combined with a sturdy stem which holds the large tomatoes above the mud. Especially recommended for southern gardeners. Dark red interior delicious flavor, large size, sturdy stalk. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; 1 oz. 65c.

V311—Beefsteak. (Crimson Cushion). 80 days. The largest red-fruited tomato. Flesh is beautiful deep scarlet-red; juicy, solid with delicious sub-acid flavor. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 45c.

V314—GIANT TREE. (Q). (90 days). Sensational new Giant Tomato averaging 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  pounds, with many 2 pounders and over; its smooth roundness (best shape of any big one we know), and its amazing vigor (Staked plants often grow 10 ft. high), and its supreme firmness and non-acid flavor, all add up to make this a must have. Especially for the home gardener with small space. Stake plants. Seed very scarce and expensive. 100 seed 25c.

V315—WHITE BEAUTY. (Q). The anti-acid Tomato. Ivory white skin, paper-white flesh. Large in size, or excellent quality for slicing, canning or juice. Extremely mild, containing less acid than other Tomatoes. Pkt. 15c; 2 pkts. 25c.

V316—CLIMBING TRIPLE CROP. (Q). Often produces 2-3 bushels from one vine. Fruit large, crimson  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across,  $2\frac{3}{4}$  in. deep or larger, solid, unexcelled for both slicing or canning. Free from blight and disease and drought resistant. Vines climb 10 to 18 ft. on trellis, or may be grown in bush form. 3 or 4 vines produce enough fruit for the average family. Pkt. 15c; 2 pkts. 25c.

V318—BURPEE HYBRID. (Q, C). 70 days. Early-mid-season first generation Hybrid with high yield. Fruits are firm, thick walled, globular, scarlet-red and average 8 oz. Flesh is meaty and rich in flavor. 30 seeds 35c.

SPINACH—See Pg. 36

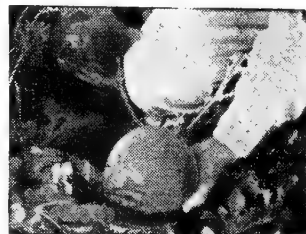
## TAMPALA

BETTER THAN SPINACH

V280—Tampala (Tam-pal-a). 60 days. It is different in flavor to other vegetables used as "greens." The leaves are cooked, prepared and served like spinach but are better than spinach. It is easy to grow and does well in hot weather and keeps on producing all summer. One sowing usually produces enough "greens" for the season. How ever, for a continuous supply of the most tender leaves make several successive sowings 10 days or 2 weeks apart. Pkt. 15c; 2 pkts. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 50c.

### WATERMELONS

\*V334—Little Midget Watermelon. 75 days. Average weight 10 lbs. The housewife's favorite because it takes up so little room in the ice-box. Melons are dark green, very thin rind, rich red translucent colored meat and small black seed.



LITTLE MIDGET

meat is extremely sweet and delicious. Shape almost round. Don't miss this fine novelty, so handy, so good, so easy to grow from Park's Seeds. Pkt. 10c; 1-4 oz. 60c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00.

V330—California Honey. Ice Box Melon. 77 days. 8-10 in. long. Beautiful deep dark green color, vivid scarlet flesh, deliciously sweet flavor. Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25c; 1 oz. 45c.

V336—Stone Mountain. 88 days. Best of all, big, round, solid melons; few seeds, pulp crisp, tender, very sweet; marvelously productive. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c; 1-4 lb. 60c.

\*V332—Kleckly Sweet. (Special Wilt-Resistant Strain). 88 days. Large, oval, dark green, thin rind. Flesh deep red, juicy and very sweet. White seeds. Pkt. 10c; 1 oz. 25c; 4 oz. 75c.

# PARK'S MAGNIFICENT GLADIOLUS

Cut Flowers for your home from June until Frost

Perhaps there is not another summer flower more popular than the improved Gladiolus. In a bed the plants stand erect, bloom freely for many weeks, are showy and unequalled for cutting. Set the bulbs 5 in. deep and 6 in. apart; as hot weather approaches mulch with stable litter. Good garden soil, full sun, frequent cultivation around the base of the plant are the requisites for best results. Water copiously; as flower buds begin

Our bulbs are clean and healthy, high crown corms, guaranteed to bloom and give you pleasure and satisfaction. All are first quality No. 1 Bulbs 1½ inches in diameter, treated against thrip and disease. Where 1 corm is not priced allow ½ the 3 rate.

## NOVELTIES AND OUTSTANDING GLADIOLUS

The finest Gladiolus of recent introduction. We have selected what we consider to be the leading Gladiolus varieties for the garden, for cutting, for exhibition purposes. All are good growers, and prize winners.

B239—CAPRI. Individual florets are extremely large, beautifully ruffled, pure white with light yellow throat. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.45.

B238—CHAMOUNY. Deep rose with contrasting silver border. A tall, robust grower with long spikes. 3 for 45c; 12 for \$1.65.

B208—CORONA. Creamy white with rose picotee edge on all petals. Large flowers are borne on long sturdy stems. Corona charmed all visitors to our trials last summer and is one of the most popular of Gladiolus. 3 for 45c; 12 for \$1.65.

B211—ELIZABETH THE QUEEN. Mid-season. Finest ruffled light lavender or mauve with darker lines in the throat. Flowers are large, beautifully ruffled, and of fine form. 3 for 55c; 12 for \$2.10.

B257—LA FIESTA. A vivid new bi-color of orange and yellow. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.45.

B247—LADY JANE. Clear cream with yellow lip petals. A gorgeous combination, hard to forget as evidenced by all who saw Lady Jane perform last year. Great grower, straight stems, and holds many flowers open at once. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.45.

B242—LEADING LADY. A cream sport of Picardy. Beautiful cream white with canary yellow throat. One of the finest recent introductions. 25c ea; 3 for 65c; 12 for \$2.45.

B219—OREGON GOLD. A massive 5 ft. plant with 20-24 buds and flowers. 9-10 florets of Picardy size open at once. Large medium yellow blending to deep gold in the throat. 3 for 55c; 12 for \$2.10.

to form, apply liquid manure for exhibition spikes. Planting may begin as soon as the soil warms in early spring, and the last planting should be made about 12 weeks before the first killing frost. This is July 15 in the latitude of New York, and later in the South. By planting at two week intervals, bloom may be had from late June until frost.

B260—PICARDY SUPREME. Deeper salmon pink than Picardy, with all the fine Picardy habits. 3 for 55c; 12 for \$2.10.

B225—PURPLE BEAUTY. Finest purple Gladiolus to date. Rich Royal purple. Huge flowers. Fine stems. 3 for 55c; 12 for \$2.10.

B254—STOPLIGHT. A brilliant red that seems to have a brilliant future in any climate because it is consistent in performance and has excellent heat resistant qualities. 25c each; 3 for 65c; 12 for \$2.45.

B253—WHITE GOLD. Clear light cream shading to golden throat. 6 ft. Spike with 6 in. florets, opening 4-6 well placed blooms at one time. One of the finest novelties of recent introduction. 25c each; 3 for 65c; 12 for \$2.45.

086—NOVELTY COLLECTION. One each of the 12 Gladiolus described above and to left. Unlabeled. 12 bulbs for \$1.95. Name your plants when they bloom from description given.

087—ROYALTY COLLECTION. Three each of the 12 Gladiolus described above and to left. Separately bagged and labeled. 36 bulbs for \$4.95.

B244—GLAMOUR GIRL. A sensational new Gladiolus type. Color, Azalia Pink, with a splash of yellow in the throat. Its outstanding feature is the shape of its petals. Glamour Girl, unlike any other variety, produces spurs on the back of the petals which curl the edges of the ruffled petals inward, giving the unusual effect of a double flower. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00. Not more than three to a customer, please.

## THE BEST STANDARD GLADIOLUS

The Gladiolus listed below are all modern and fine, well known, and of established merit. They are listed in general color classifications. The Novelties above are also included under the proper color to aid you in choosing those best suited to your garden.

### PINK AND ROSE

Chamouny, Glamour Girl, Picardy Supreme. B233—ALADDIN. Bright beautiful salmon with large cream blotch. 8-10 Very large beautifully ruffled florets open at one time. Long straight spikes. Plants strong and robust. 3 for 25c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.65.

B248—CHARMAINE. A new shade of clear, rich medium rose. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.95.

B240—ETHEL CAVE COLE. Early, very large light pink. Strong grower, good straight stems, long spikes. 3 for 25c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.65.

B228—PICARDY. Unquestionably the finest Gladiolus of all times. Tall robust growth, clean foliage, and exceptionally large florets of softest shrimp pink with blotch of light flesh pink in the throat. Florets are slightly ruffled and of heavy wax-like substance which explains why Picardy keeps so well when cut. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00.

B230—SWEET ALIBI. "A must have". Heavily ruffled enormous deep pink florets on a large spike. This has been one of our most popular Gladiolus since its introduction and we are indeed pleased to be able to offer Sweet Alibi this year at a much reduced price. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00.

B262—PINK AND ROSE MIXED. 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.25.

B255—TOKEN. Peach red, or flame salmon with clear yellow throat. 3 for 25c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.65.

### RED Stoplight.

234—ALGONQUIN. Early. Brilliant glowing scarlet. 8-10 wide open, ruffled needlepoint blooms open on a tall straight spike. One of the very finest scarlet Gladiolus on the market. 3 for 45c; 12 for \$1.55; 100 for \$12.00.

B205—BEACON. Deep clear bright rose-scarlet with large cream blotch in the throat. Tall spike with 8-10 florets open at once. 3 for 25c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.65.

B212—FLAMING SWORD. Bright vermillion scarlet, with well placed florets. Very popular. 3 for 25c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.65.

B256—VAN TIENHOVEN. Fine brilliant red with very large florets. Many open at one time. Strong stems, long spikes. One of the finest reds. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00.

B265—RED GLADIOLUS MIXED. 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.25.

### WHITE AND CREAM

Corona, Lady Jane, Capri, Leading Lady B201—ALBATROSS. Enormous purest white flowers of great substance and fine keeping qualities. Well spaced florets on tall spikes. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.45; 100 for \$10.00.

B236—BINGO. Creamy white sport of Picardy, with all the good habits of Picardy and lovely creamy white flowers and just a hint of rose in the petals which makes the flower delicate. 6-7 blooms open at one time. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00.

B249—MARGARET BEATON. Flashy large white with lip-stick blotch. New and very popular for shows. 3 for 25c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.65.

B253—SNOW PRINCESS. Early. Best pure white variety. Flowers are huge, borne on long spikes, well placed and overlapping. 3 for 25c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.65.

B241—VREDENBURG. Early, giant, pure white. Long spikes, good stems. One of the finest whites. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.45; 100 for \$10.00.

B264—WHITE AND CREAM MIXED. 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.25.

### BLUE AND PURPLE

Elizabeth the Queen, Purple Beauty. B206—BLUE BEAUTY. The finest blue variety. Large flowers of lovely rich mid-blue well placed in long spikes of beauty. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00.

B207—CHARLES DICKENS. Fine purple-violet. Large graceful flowers. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.95.

B215—KING ARTHUR. Extra large, extra ruffled, beautiful rosy-lavender flowers. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.75.

246—KING LEAR. Very early. Clear deep purple with silver line on edge of all petals. Very large, heavily waved and ruffled. 5-6 open at one time. 3 for 30c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$7.85.

B216—MINUET. First among the lavenders, a perfect spike with large orchid-lavender flowers. Seven open at once. 3 for 40c; 12 for \$1.45; 100 for \$10.25.

B221—PELEGRINA. Rich, intense deep violet-blue. An unusual color in Gladiolus. The finest dark blue. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.75.

B261—BLUE AND PURPLE MIXED. From above varieties. 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.25.

### SMOKY

B204—BAGDAD. Large open flowers of smoky old rose in long spikes. Very choice. 3 for 25c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.65.

## FOR THOSE WHO WISH TO PLANT FOR SEPTEMBER FLOWERS

And our Friends in the deep South, we will keep the corms in cold storage and ship when required. It is necessary that you place your order in early spring, however, to insure getting the varieties you want.

### YELLOW

Oregon Gold, White Gold

B213—GOLDEN DREAM. The finest yellow regardless of price. Large spikes of graceful golden yellow flowers with cream throats. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.00.

B250—GOLD DUST. A fine soft clear early yellow. 3 for 25c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.65.

B263—YELLOW GLADIOLUS MIXED. 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.25.

### ORANGE

La Fiesta

B 237—BIT O' HEAVEN. Flaming orange with yellow throat. 3 for 25c; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.65.

COLLECTION G3—Six each of Bingo, Blue Beauty, Golden Dream, Picardy, Sweet Alibi, Van Tienhoven, 72 bulbs separately bagged and labeled, for \$4.85.

089—GLORIOUS GARDEN COLLECTION. 100 First Quality No. 1 size Gladiolus Corms for only \$7.00, 100 bulbs each of 10 varieties our selection of bulbs we have in surplus from our named varieties. Each variety separately bagged and labeled. 100 bulbs for \$7.00. Half portion of above Collection—50 bulbs for \$3.75.

B232—PARK'S CHOICE EXHIBITION MIXTURE. For those who wish a fine collection of choice bulbs we recommend our splendid mixture of No. 1 Bulbs. Large size (1½" in diam.) bulbs which will produce the tallest spikes and finest flowers. This mixture is made up from all known colors of Gladiolus, and all are fine named varieties. Every color known to Gladiolus will be represented. 12 for 85c; 50 for \$2.75; 100 for \$4.95; 1000 for \$39.50.

B266—ECONOMY MIXTURE. A complete mixture. Rainbow colors of fine Gladiolus varieties. The bulbs are blooming size No. III, but will take longer to come into bloom than the No. 1 size. 25 for \$1.00; 50 for \$1.75; 100 for \$3.00; 1000 for \$27.50.

B269—GLADIOLUS BULBLETS MIXED. A complete mixture of all colors from fine varieties. Germination is improved if these are soaked for 24 hours in warm water prior to planting. Pkt. (approx. 100) 25c; ¼ pint (approx. 500 bulblets) 45c; 1 pint (About 2000 bulblets) \$1.95. 1 quart (About 4000 bulblets) \$3.75.

877—SEEDS—Gladiolus Peerless Strain. Seeds saved from named sorts, every plant will be a new variety. Pkt. 10c; Large Pkt. 25c.



Park's



# GIANT DAHLIAS

Are easily grown from Park's strong tubers.

**ABOUT OUR DAHLIA TUBERS.** Our dahlias are all grown on fertile, sandy loam not far from Lake Michigan. They are grown by Mr. E. R. Ryno who has made growing Dahlias his life work, and we consider him the very best Dahlia grower in the world. His experience linked with the best Dahlia soil and location combine to give you the finest results from Park's Dahlias. Our roots are not over large in size as are those grown on clay and heavier soils and they are always clean, plump and fully matured. Guaranteed to give you true to name, healthy plants which will produce the finest flowers.

**THE VARIETIES LISTED** here are selected with painstaking care from the thousands of varieties in cultivation. Those listed on these pages are the best growers, freest bloomers, and those listed as mammoth will give the largest flowers Dahlias can produce. Growing show dahlias does take careful disbudding, and proper care.

**KEEPING CUT DAHLIAS.** Strip the foliage except at the top, recut the stem and immerse in water as hot as the hand will bear. When water cools transfer the Dahlias to cold water and place in the cellar overnight. Treated thus they will keep for several days and increase in size.

**DAHLIA CULTURE.** This subject including how to prevent disease and get rid of insect pests is covered fully in "The Gardener's Handbook." For bedding effects plant on or a week before frostproof date. For exhibition blooms plant late (May and June). Late planting brings the plants into bloom during late summer and fall when the cool temperatures promote better blooms.

**EXHIBITION DAHLIAS.** Exhibition Dahlias and satisfactory tubers cannot be produced in the same hill. If you want 12 inch flowers, go after them with nitrate of soda, water and disbudding, but do not rely on the tubers produced for another year.

35c each  
Jersey's  
Beauty  
the Perfect  
Dahlia

## NEW AND STANDARD GIANT DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

The following Giant Decorative, formal and informal Dahlias are those we consider the very best in each of the various color classifications. Some are new, others older and well known. All were chosen with great care, and we are sure that you will be pleased. In fact, we guarantee the roots we send you to be true to name, sure to grow, and will gladly replace the stock or refund your money on any which prove unsatisfactory. **COMPLETE CULTURAL DIRECTIONS ACCOMPANY EVERY ORDER.** Symbols used: FD—Formal Decorative; ID—Informal Decorative.

- B1—ALICE MAY (ID). The finest pure white Dahlia to date. Tremendous flower with beautiful artistic form, strong stems. 85c ea.; 3 for \$2.25.
- B27—BLUE RIVER (FD). Almost a true blue—the nearest blue yet obtained in Dahlias. Deep lilac, a distinct color. 65c ea.; 3 for \$1.65.
- B37—BURCH FORAKER (ID). Mammoth Flame Red. A new variety which is a constant prize winner. One of the largest and most brilliant. \$1.00 each. One to a customer please.
- B32—CLARA CORDER (ID). The largest of all Pinks. The flower is clear Cyclamen-pink with a flush of yellow at the base. In a color class by itself. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.
- B33—DAKOTA (ID). Brick red flowers, excellent for cutting. 35c each; 3 for 95c.
- B3—D. M. MOOR (FD). A glowing satanic flower of giant proportions, maroon almost black. 30c ea.; 3 for 95c.
- B4—DETROITER (ID). Giant decorative Dahlia of rich glowing red, borne on sturdy stems, and good for cutting. 80c ea.; 3 for \$2.00.
- B5—ELLEANOR RADELL (ID). Beautiful graceful flower of glowing rose pink. 45c ea.; 3 for \$1.15.
- B6—FRANCES LA ROCCO (FD). One of the finest Dahlias we grow. Color light lemon yellow. 35c ea.; 3 for 95c.
- B7—GLAMOUR (ID). Huge flower of shining purple made more brilliant by contrast with the silver reverse of the petals. New and exquisite. \$1.00 ea.; 3 for \$2.50.
- B34—HARRY MAYER or Blue Moon (ID) Rose-lyn Purple, 35c ea.; 3 for 95c.
- B8—HUNT'S VELVET WONDER (ID). Huge blooms of rich violet purple. Can be grown to immense size. A real show Dahlia. 55c each; 3 for \$1.45.
- B9—JANE COWL (ID). Warm buff and old gold blending to bright salmon center. 45c ea.; 3 for \$1.15.
- B10—JEAN KERR (FD). A fine white Dahlia of medium size. A bargain price. 30c ea.; 3 for 75c.
- B12—JERSEY'S BEAUTY (FD). Well known. Immense flowers of glowing pink. 35c ea.; 3 for 95c.
- B14—JERSEY'S WHITE BEAUTY (FD). Glistening pure white flowers of perfect form. 65c ea.; 3 for \$1.50.
- B16—MINA BURGLE (ID). A giant flower of bright red which is sure to please you. 35c ea.; 3 for 95c.
- B17—MISS OAKLAND (FD). Giant Exhibition Dahlia Prize Winner. Pure white, new and fine. 75c ea.; 3 for \$1.95.
- B18—MRS. GEO. LE BOUTTLIER (ID). Rich velvety carmine of giant size. 55c each; 3 for \$1.45.

- B19—MRS. I. DE VER WARNER (FD) Popular—a "must have"—mauve pink. 35c each; 3 for 95c.
- B20—NEW GLORY (ID). Fine and new this large flower is perfection itself with maroon petals tipped white for bright contrast. 75c ea.; 3 for \$1.95.
- B21—OCTOBER SUNSHINE (ID). A great golden yellow flower of supreme beauty. 40c ea.; 3 for \$1.05.
- B22—PREMIER'S WINSOME (ID). Giant Exhibition Dahlia of glowing pink. Sturdy grower. A consistent winner at the shows. \$1.00 ea.; 3 for \$2.50.
- B31—PRIDE OF SPRINGHILL (ID). Beautiful rose-red. Prolific and fine for cut flowers. The color is one of the most pleasing. 60c each; 3 for \$1.50.

## SPECIAL OFFERS OF GIANT DAHLIAS

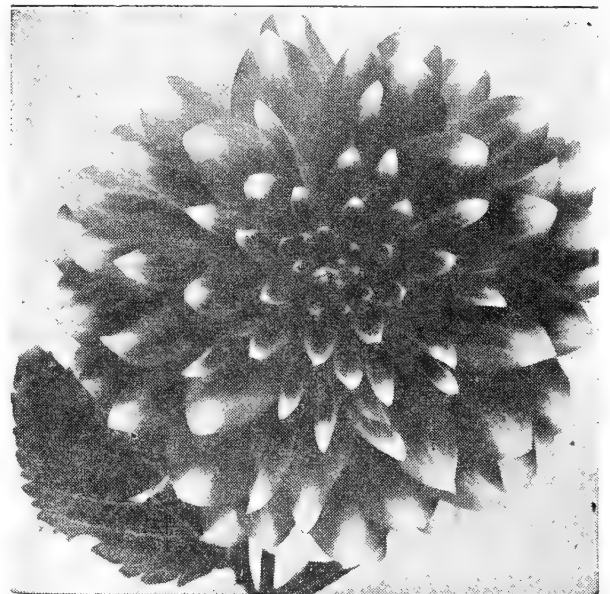
**FREE**—One Lois Walcher root with any two collections.

**COLLECTION 081**—One tuber each of Alice May, Blue River, Burch Foraker, Thomas Edison, Premier's Winsome, for \$3.85.

**COLLECTION 082**—One tuber each of D. M. Moor, Elleanor Radell, Frances La Rocco, October Sunshine, Pride of Stratford, White King, Harry Mayer, for \$2.25.

**COLLECTION 083**—One tuber each of Glamour, Jersey's Beauty, Miss Oakland, Jane Cowl, Commodore, The Fireman, Pride of Springhill, for \$3.85.

**COLLECTION 084**—One of each of the Dahlias listed on this page. 32 Giant Dahlias, Value \$18.24 for \$15.95. This includes Lois Walcher Free.



**LOIS WALCHER (F.D.)**

**FREE** The NEW and Beautiful Giant Dahlia LOIS WALCHER with any two of Collections 081, 082 or 083.

**LOIS WALCHER.** (F.D.) A gorgeous new creation. Color, deep amaranth purple that breaks sharply into pure white. The stems are ideal. The healthy bush is an early and prolific bloomer.

**12 GIANT DAHLIAS ALL DIFFERENT \$4.25** | **6 GIANT DAHLIAS ALL DIFFERENT \$2.25**

Taken from our surplus of named varieties listed above. Each separately labeled.



Cactus, Son of Satan

## GIANT CACTUS DAHLIAS

This is a distinctly beautiful class, the most graceful of all Dahlias. The petals are curled and twisted to give a star-like or fluffy effect. The flowers are of large size, often grow to 10 inches or more in diameter when properly cared for and disbudded.

B40—AMELIA EARHARDT. This grand fluffy petaled giant is of great beauty. The blending colors are apricot, buff, salmon and soft yellow \$1.00 ea.; 3 for \$2.50.

B41—JERSEY'S DAINTY. White, faintly tinged lavender. Healthy fine plant. Dainty and sweet. Fine cut flowers. 65c ea.; 3 for \$1.65.

B42—JERSEY'S MELODY. Deep bright pink. A very lovely airy bloom of fine texture for cutting. 75c ea.; 3 for \$2.00.

B48—LIBELLE. Deep shining royal purple. 35c each; 3 for 95c.

B47—MELODY. Glowing yellow, each petal tipped white. A beautiful and graceful flower. 35c each; 3 for 95c.

B43—SON OF SATAN. Immense show flower of intense bright scarlet making a dashing effect in the garden or in bouquets. 85c ea.; 3 for \$2.25.

B45—STAR OF BETHLEHEM. Delightfully curled petals of pure white create a pure star-like effect. Large flowers, good stems. Strong growing plant. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.

042—ONE OF EACH (7 Giant Cactus Dahlias) \$3.75.

## THE GIANT BASKET FLOWER

B470—ISMENE CALATHINA or Peruvian Daf-fodil. Four to five Giant funnel shaped flowers are borne on each two foot stem. The flowers are richly and delightfully perfumed, and unique in shape having a delicately fringed cup framed by five long white sepals. Color: Pure white with green striped throat. Attractive foliage is deep green and sword-shaped. Of easiest culture as pot plant or in the open ground. Choose a sunny spot, plant in May for blooms in July. Bulbs must be stored over winter in frost proof place. Jumbo bulbs 35c ea.; 3 for 95c; 6 for \$1.75.

## OXALIS BULBS

For a choice border or hanging basket, a planting of Oxalis will give you pleasure and satisfaction. The plants bear a mass of pretty clover-shaped foliage and a constant supply of small attractive flowers all summer. B495—Deppel White, B496—Loisandra Rose. 6 for 25c; 12 for 45c; 100 for \$2.90.

## B520—RED HOT POKER

Tritoma Pitzers Hybrids Roots will develop into strong plants. Striking flame-like flower spikes bloom in August and September. Roots: 30c each; 3 for 80c. Seed: 10c pkt.



Double Tuberose

## IMPROVED PEARL TUBEROSE

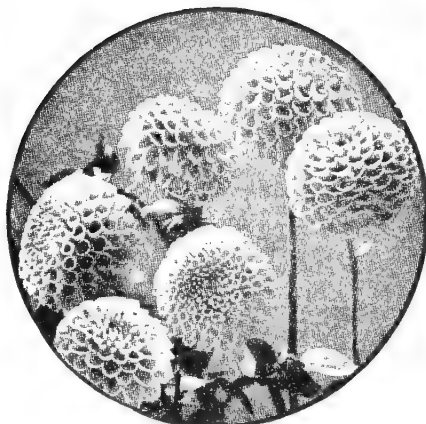
Most fragrant of flowers

The stems grow two feet high terminating in a compact spike of waxy double flowers nearly two inches across, richly scented and showy in beds as well as for cutting. An individual flower is fine for the button hole. Set in a rich sunny bed in May the bulbs bloom in Autumn. A group of blooming plants makes the air redolent with rich perfume, and the spikes are exquisite in a vase.

### FIRST SIZE BULBS

B525—Jumbo Double Pearl: 20c ea.; 6 for 70c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.75.

B526—Single Mexican: 15c ea.; 12 for \$1.10; 100 for \$7.95.



## The Lovely Bouquet Dahlias

The smaller Dahlias have ever been popular, for they combine so many desirable features that one known they become almost indispensable. They keep well when cut and have long wiry stems. Flowers 2" or less in diameter.

## Pompon—Excellent Keepers

35c ea.; 3 for 95c; 6 for \$1.75.

B80—AMBER QUEEN. Apricot and Amber. Autumn colors.

B86—CARDINAL. Bright red.

B87—EDITH MUELLER. Shining two toned. gold edged orange.

B82—MARY MUNNS. Delicate, lovely lavender.

B83—ROSA WILMOUTH. Popular, rose pink.

B88—PHYLLIS. Bright and shining purple.

B84—YELLOW GEM. Shining yellow. Cheerful.

B85—JOE FETTE. Compact and pretty. White.

045—ALL 8 Pompon Dahlias above for \$1.95.

## BALL or SHOW DAHLIAS

Flowers fully double, ball-shaped, petals in regular spiral arrangement, more than 3 1/2 inches in diameter. Excellent for cut flowers, good keepers. 35c each; 3 for 95c; 6 for \$1.75.

B90—A. D. LIVONI. Clear and beautiful pink.

B91—RED CHIEF. Bright red. A lively color.

B92—STORM KING. Fine white.

B93—YELLOW DUKE. Beautiful yellow.

044—One of each (4 above) for \$1.15.

Mr. Park

Aug. 7, 1947

I am writing to tell you how lovely the Pure white Cactus Dahlia you sent me has been. The bloom is over 8 in. across, and nearly 24 in. around. It lasted over a week, just like wax. I allowed it to have only one blossom as I wish to make it tops. Sincerely yours,

Mrs. E. J. E., Seaford, Delaware.

## B317—BELLADONNA LILY. (Am-aryllis Belladonna.)

Known as "Resurrection Lily", with large fragrant rose-pink flowers borne in summer. Treat as pot plant. 50c each; 3 for \$1.35.

## BLETILLA Hyacinthina (Hardy Chinese Orchid.)

Very choice plant which is perfectly hardy. 12 inch stems bear 7 to 8 large, orchid-shaped flowers. May be planted in the open or in pots.

B350—Lavender. 70c ea.; 3 for \$2.00.

B351—Pure White. 75c ea.; 3 for \$2.10.

## B499—RANUNCULUS (Buttercup)

Glorious, brilliant, colorful, this cheerful mixture of yellow, red, orange, crimson, scarlet. Giant 3 in. flowers are double and semi-double. Hardy South, they are fine pot plants North. Sturdy 12 in. stems for cutting. Set roots claws down, 2 in. deep. Roots: 3 for 15c 12 for 50c; 100 for \$3.40. Seed: Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c.

## TIGRIDIA

### MEXICAN FLAME FLOWER

Distinctive, these brilliant Flame Flowers from Mexico. Unique and bright are the triangular shaped flowers which are spotted and blotched to perfection. Foliage is pretty and sabre-like. We offer the finest Top Quality Bulbs, 1 in. in diam. Guaranteed to bloom.

B510—ALBA GRANDIFLORA (White). Glistening white blades. Throat snow white spotted with red markings. Beautiful contrast, hard to forget.

B511—GRANDIFLORA RED. Vivid China-red blades; yellow cup background.

B512—ROSEA. Rich silken rose blades; yellow cup.

B513—AUREA. Golden yellow blades; yellow cup.

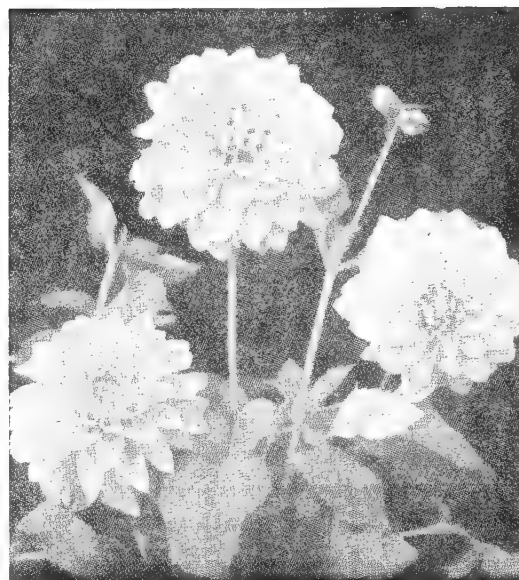
B514—VIOLEACEA. Lilac or deep lavender flowers having a variety of lovely center markings.

Above Varieties 15c ea.; 6 for 75c; 12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$10.00.

085—THREE OF EACH Tigridia variety (15 bulbs) for \$1.55.

B515—TIGRIDIA MIXED COLORS. Taken from above named stock which we have in surplus at the time you order. 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$9.00.

SEEDS—Fresh Tigridia Seeds. 2023—Mixed Packet 10c; Giant Packet 25c. Containing a mixture of seeds from flowers of white, red, rose, yellow.



Dahlia Miniature Fairy

## MINIATURE DECORATIVE SWEETHEART DAHLIAS

The miniatures have the same form as the large decorative dahlias but their small size (less than 3 1/2 in. in diam.) and good stems make them distinctly suitable, attractive table decorations.

40c each; 3 for \$1.05; 6 for \$1.95.

B70—BLUE EYES. A miniature Blue River.

B60—BUCKEYE BABY. Bronzy buff, dainty.

B61—CORINNA. Bright and cheerful yellow.

B62—FAIRY. Miniature Jersey's Beauty. Very early and continuous bloomer. Lasts well.

B63—ORCHID LADY. Lovely lavender.

B64—PRINCESS ALBA. Pure snow white.

B65—SYLVIA. Bright red.

B66—BISHOP OF LLANDAFF. Rich scarlet duplex with Peony-like flowers and bronzy red foliage. 60c ea.; 3 for \$1.50.

043—ONE OF EACH Miniature Decorative listed above. 8 Roots for \$2.35.

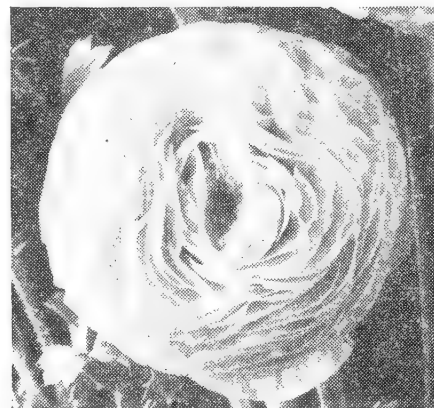
## MINIATURE CACTUS

40c each; 3 for \$1.05; 6 for \$1.95.

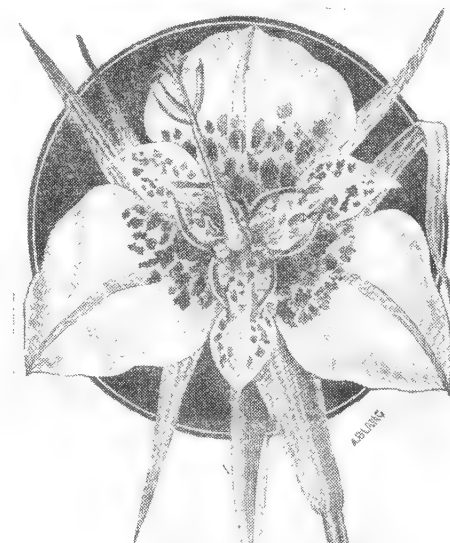
B68—GRACE O'NEIL. True pink, fluffy cactus.

B67—EASTER GREETING. Pure white.

B69—GRETEL. Bright orange red.

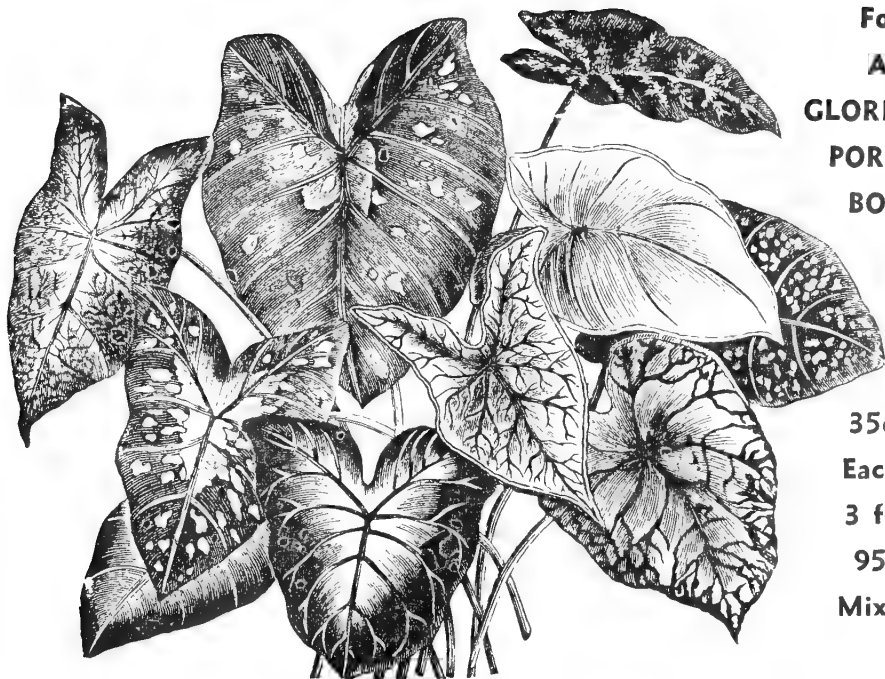


RANUNCULUS, Tecolote Hyb.



Tigridia—3 for 35c





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## BEAUTIFUL FANCY CALADIUMS

These Caladiums are just the plants for a partly shaded bed, box or pot. They have no enemies, and grow in any rich soil, splendid variegated-leaves show crimson, scarlet, rose, yellow and green, being veined, spotted and margined in exquisitely contrasted colors.

**CALADIUM CULTURE.** Start indoors in box of spagnum moss or sand in temp. of 75-85 deg. Water sparingly until growth is well started. Then pot in mixture of 1/3 leaf mold, 1/3 sand, 1/3 charcoal. Give good drainage, plenty of water, and apply liquid manure once a week.

**OUTDOORS:** They may be moved outdoors to a shady location or started in a shady bed in late May or June. Colorful over a very long period.

### FINEST NAMED VARIETIES

Our bulbs are of the finest growing 1 1/4 to 2 in. in diam. Guaranteed true to name and absolutely clean. (All bulbs are specially chemical sterilized.)

40c Each, 054—All 6 for \$2.25.

B360—**CANDIDUM.** Fine variety and very popular. Leaf snow-white with green veins and network; narrow green border. True Candidum.

B361—**PINK CLOUD.** New. Large, crinkly, well-opened leaves of mottled pink with a cloud-like effect in the coloring.

B362—**HORTILANIA.** Leaf shining crimson with bluish tints. The best red Caladium.

B363—**MRS. W. B. HALDEMAN.** Luscious, rich watermelon pink with green ribs and green border. One of the strongest growers.

B364—**SCARLET PIMPERNELLE.** Straw colored leaf with large scarlet center void of ribs.

B365—**SOROCABA.** Transparent silvery white leaf with suffused pink. Green ribs and veins.



Amaryllis formosissima  
50c each

### B 316—AMARYLLIS FORMOSISSIMA

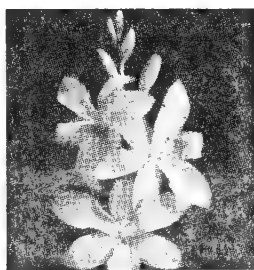
(Sprekelia—Jacobean Lily)

Unique in form and beautiful in color, this beautiful crimson flower of the Amaryllis Family deserves a place in your planting plans. The half hardy bulbs should be planted in pots of rich soil. Top of the bulb should be flush with surface. Hardy in mild climates. Blooming Bulbs 50c each, 3 for \$1.35, 12 for \$4.50.

**AMARYLLIS CULTURE.** See pg. 17 of "Gardener's Handbook" sent free with every order. Briefly: Use pot 2 inches larger than bulb, give good drainage, water sparingly until growth begins. Pot with 1/3 of bulb protruding from soil. Outdoor bloom may be had by covering bulbs 2 inches deep in any good garden soil. The bulbs are not winter hardy and must be taken up and stored in frostproof place until bloom is desired again.

### B 325—POPPY FLOWERED ANEMONES

These beautiful flowers are like giant buttercups and may be had in both double and single types. They bloom in spring. Sure to bloom tubers. Single and double mixed colors. 3 for 20c; 12 for 55c; 100 for \$4.00.



Montbretias 3 for 35c

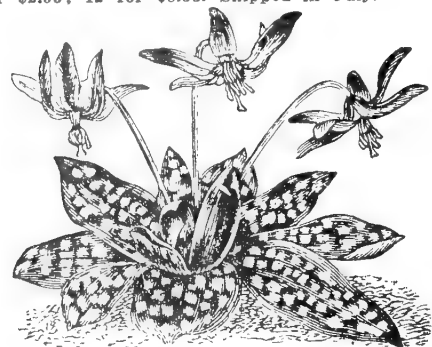
### MONTBRETIAS

B485—**EARLHAM LARGE-FLOWERED HYBRIDS.** These are the magnificent new hybrids representing an enormous advance over the ordinary varieties usually seen. Tall, robust plants with flowers of great size and beauty, 3-4 inches in diam. Mixed colors including yellow, salmon, orange, scarlet, rose. Treatment the same as for Gladiolus and as easily grown. They like light, loamy soil enriched with leaf mold and a little lime, no manure. 3 for 35c; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.75.



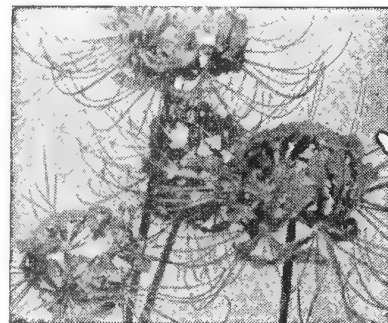
B318—**RESURRECTION LILY** or Magic Lily. (*Lycoris squamigeri* or *Amaryllis Hallii*.)

Clusters of large, but dainty pink trumpets perfume the air with their delightful fragrance during August from bulbs planted in July. The 2 1/2 ft. stems rise directly from the ground as if by magic. Attractive strap-shaped green foliage appears in early spring. Completely hardy. Plant 4" deep in semi-shade during July. 85c each; 3 for \$2.35; 12 for \$8.35. Shipped in July.



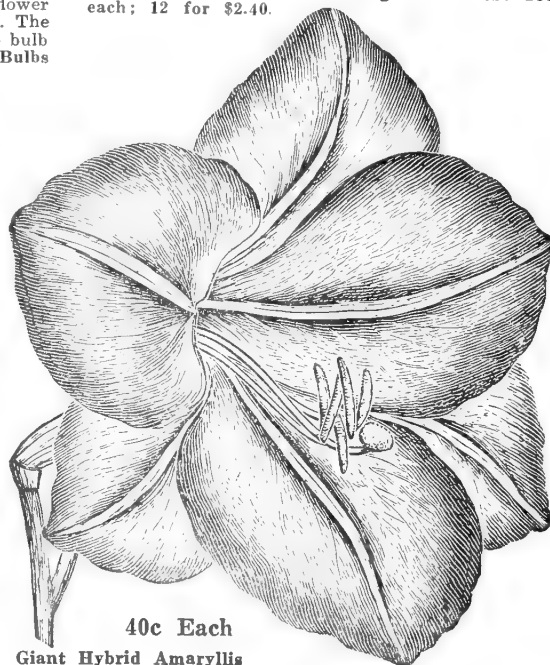
### DOG'S TOOTH VIOLET

B199—**ERYTHRONIUM MIXED.** Richly mottled leaves, dainty flowers with recurved petals, delicate colors, shade loving and completely hardy. Erythrונים thrive in loose gritty soil rich in leaf mold, in any shady spot. Bulbs are best transplanted just before blooming, orders booked and shipped in May or June. Plant immediately upon arrival. Dormant until spring. Cream, white, golden, purple in Mixture. 3 for 40c. SEED: Erythronium Pink Beauty. Pkt. 10c or 25c.



### SPIDER LILY

B494—**LYCORIS Radiata.** A handsome Autumn-flowering bulb, which makes its growth during the winter and is dormant through the summer. The rosy-red flowers are interesting and artistic, appearing on tall stems followed by grass-like foliage which remains green all winter. Treat as a pot plant North. Hardy from Virginia south. Plant 4 inches deep. Blooming size bulbs: 25c each; 12 for \$2.40.



40c Each

Giant Hybrid Amaryllis



Anemone



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When sowing seeds it is always best to divide the packets and sow at different times. Note the time and give good care until the plants have had time to appear. The following table gives the time normally required for germination of each variety of seeds. This time may vary as much as 25% either way. Do not condemn seeds until you have given them at least two or three trials. Those marked Z or having the dagger (†) beside them may lie dormant for a year or more. The other tables are self explanatory, and while they are somewhat complicated, do give a great deal of information about each of the hundreds of species listed.

### SYMBOLS USED IN TABLE

| Germination Time  | Habit        | Best Use                        | Color                 | Time To Bloom  | Culture   |
|---|--------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|--|---|
| a-5 days  | Tr-Trailing  | Hb-Hardy border                 | B-Blue                | a-Early spring   | 1-Of easy culture for beginners.  |
| b-8 days  | Br-Branching | B-Summer bedding                | O-Orange              | b-Late spring or early summer                          | 2-Soak seeds before sowing.   |
| c-10 days   | B-Bushy      | E-Low Edging or border          | P-Pink                | c-Summer   | 3-Sow in early spring while soil is cool.   |
| d-15 days   | C-Clump      | D-Drying for use as everlasting | Pu-Purple or lavender | d-Late summer or early autumn                          | 4-Sow in early spring or latest fall.   |
| e-20 days   | E-Erect      | F-Foliage or Seed Pod           | R-Red                 | e-All autumn   | 5-Sow in heat in sunny window, frame or greenhouse. Sowing may be done at almost any season.  |
| f-25 days   | S-Spreading  | S-Background or Screen          | Y-Yellow              | f-Late autumn  | 6-Sow in spring or summer, up to September. Be sure seedbed is shaded if sown in heat of summer.  |
| g-30 days   | V-Vine       | Sp-Specimen                     | W-White               | g-Tends to be everblooming                             | 7-Sow in late autumn or early winter in open beds. Germination will take place in spring. Cold is needed to start them. May also be sown in early spring if given refrigerator treatment. |
| z-50 days or may lie dormant a year or more.              |              | W-Window Garden or porch box    | F-Fragrant            | h-Winter blooming indoors, or can be forced into bloom | 8-Sow in late autumn or earliest spring. If sown too late in  |
| †-dagger  |              | R-Rock Garden                   |                       | i-Perennials, blooming first season if started early   |   |
| added means seed may take much longer than time indicated |              |                                 |                       |  |   |

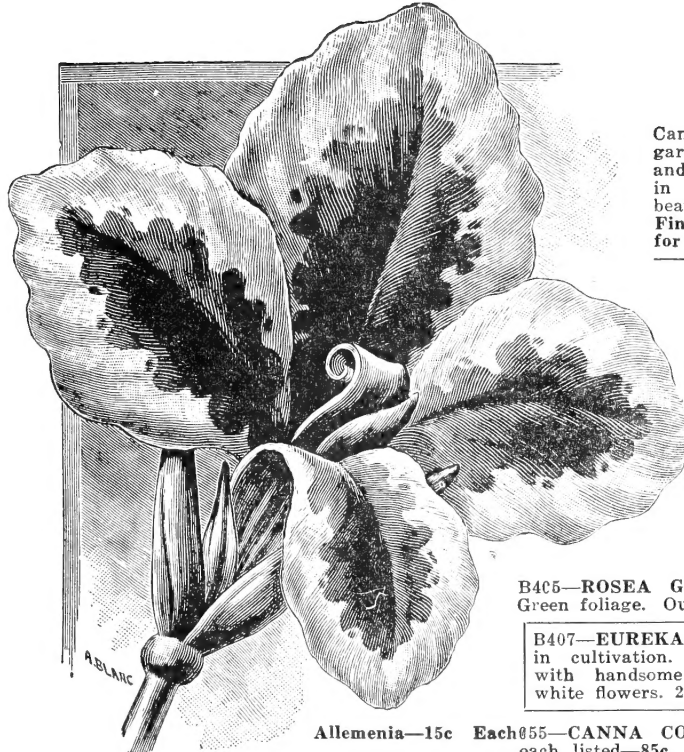
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spring, may lie dormant until the following year.  
 9-Sow where plants are to bloom after soil has warmed up in spring.  
 a-Very fine seed. Carefully sow on top of soil and water with misty spray to cover.  
 ☼-Sun.  
 ☼-Sun or partial shade.  
 S-Semi-shade.  
 M-Requires extra moisture.  
 D-Will grow in rather dry soil.

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| All American Flrs. & Veg.   | 4                 |          |               |       |          |          |       | c-e        |                |
| Abro'nia, ha                | 13                | 6-9      | Tr            |       | E no     | YP       |       |            | ☼D61           |
| Abu'til on, hha             | 3, 32, 35         | 34       | E             |       | WB no    | RPY      | g, h  |            | 5, 1           |
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| Achillea, Milfoil, hp       | 26                | 24       | E             |       | Hb yes   | YW d     |       |            | ☼4             |
| Achimenes, hhp              | 48                | 12       | E             |       | BW no    | many BD  |       |            | SM5a           |
| Aconitum, hp                | 26                | 44       | E             |       | Hb yes   | PW de    |       |            | ☼4             |
| Acroclinium, ha             | 24                | 24       | E             |       | D yes    | PW c     |       |            | ☼31            |
| Adlumina, hb                | 25                |          |               |       |          |          |       |            |                |
| Adonis, hha, hp             | 13, 26            | 18       | E             |       | Hb yes   | YR b     |       |            | ☼6             |
| Aethionema, hp              | 26                | 4        | Tr            |       | ER no    | R bc     |       |            | ☼4             |
| African Daisy               | 18                |          |               |       |          |          |       |            |                |
| African Violet, hhp         | 3, 35             | 6        | B             |       | W no     | BPW g    |       |            | S5a            |
| Agapanthus, hhp             | 32                | 36       | E             |       | W no     | B C      |       |            | M5             |
| Ageratum, hha               | 2, 13             | 4-24     |               |       | RE yes   | BPWF G   |       |            | ☼31            |
| Agrostema, hp               | 26                | 24       | E             |       | Hb yes   | P bc     |       |            | ☼41            |
| Agrostis, ha                | 31                | 12       | B             |       | F        |          |       |            | ☼5             |
| Althea, Hollyhock, hp       | 28                |          |               |       |          |          |       |            |                |
| Aloe, Tiger Aloe, hhp       | 32                | 12       | F             |       | W no     |          | R cd  |            | D5             |
| Alonsoa, Mask Flr. hha      | 13                | 18       | E             |       | B no     |          |       |            | 6              |
| Alstromeria, hp             | 26                | 36       | E             |       | Sp yes   |          |       |            | 5, 7           |
| Alyssum, ha, hp             | 2, 13, 26         | 2-12     | B             |       | EB no    | WPUF bd  |       |            | ☼31            |
| Amaranthus, hha             | 14                | 48       | B             |       | B no     | R c      |       |            | ☼61            |
| Amaranthus, hhp             | 44, 32            | 24       | U             |       | W yes    | RW h     |       |            | S☼35           |
| Amberboa, ha                | 13                | 24       | Br            |       | BH yes   | Pu bd    |       |            | D☼61           |
| Ammonium, hb                | 24                | 36       | Br            |       | D yes    | W c      |       |            | ☼6             |
| Anagallis, hha              | 13                | 8        | C             |       | E no     | BR bd    |       |            | ☼31            |
| Anchusa, ha, hp             | 14                | 40       | Br            |       | Hb yes   | BP bd*   |       |            | S6             |
| Anemone, hp                 | 26, 44            | 15       | E             |       | Hb yes   | many b   |       |            | ☼4             |
| Annual Climbers             | 20, 25            |          |               |       |          |          |       |            |                |
| Anoda, Opalcup, hhp         | 26                | 48       | E             |       | Hb yes   | B g      |       |            | ☼61            |
| Anthemias, hp               | 26                | 24       | Br            |       | Hb yes   | YF b     |       |            | ☼61            |
| Antigonon, hhp              | 25                | 30'      | V             |       | S no     | P bdi    |       |            | ☼4             |
| Anthriscum, Snap. ha        | 2, 14             | 30       | E             |       | WB yes   | manyF bd |       |            | S☼M61          |
| Aquilegia, hp               | 3, 6              | 12-36    | E             |       | Hb yes   | many bc  |       |            | S6             |
| Arabis, Rock Cress, hp      | 26                | 6        | C             |       | BH no    | WPF a    |       |            | ☼31            |
| Arcotis, hha                | 13                | 12       | Br            |       | B yes    | BW ce    |       |            | D31            |
| Arearia, Sandwort, hp       | 26                | 3        | S             |       | R no     | W c      |       |            | S4             |
| Arisaema, hhp               | 26                | 25       | E             |       | RSp no   | Green b  |       |            | S3             |
| Aristea, hhp                | 26                | 24       | E             |       | Hb yes   | B b      |       |            | S☼D4           |
| Aristea, hhp                | 26                | 24       | E             |       | S no     | Y c      |       |            | ☼61            |
| Artemisia, Thrift, hp       | 26                | 3-24     | B             |       | Hb yes   | P bc     |       |            | ☼31            |
| Ascyrum, hp                 | 26                | 15       | B             |       | R no     | Y b      |       |            | ☼6             |
| Asclepias, hp, hhp          | 32, 14, 26        | 35       | E             |       | HbW yes  |          |       |            | ☼6             |
| Asphodeline, Jacob Rod      | 26                | 36       | E             |       | Hb no    | Y        |       |            | ☼D6            |
| Asperula, annual, ha        | 15                | 12-30    | B             |       | B yes    | many de  |       |            | S☼31           |
| Asperula, perennial, hp     | 26                | 18       | B             |       | Hb yes   | BR e     |       |            | ☼4             |
| Astilbe, Spirea, hp         | 26                | 36       | B             |       | Hb yes   | P ch     |       |            | ☼4             |
| Aubrieta, hp                | 26                | 6        | S             |       | E no     | B a      |       |            | ☼61            |
| Auricula, hp                | 26                | 12       | E             |       | RE no    | Fmany a  |       |            | S7             |
| Avena, ha                   | 31                | -24      | E             |       | D yes    |          |       |            | ☼3             |
| Babia'na, hhp               | 32                | 12       | E             |       | W no     | B h      |       |            | S☼5            |
| Babys' Breath, ha, hp       | 28                | 18       | Br            |       | B yes    | PW c     |       |            | ☼6             |
| Baby Blue Eyes, ha          | 21                | 6        | Br            |       | E no     | WB a     |       |            | ☼8             |
| Bachelor's Button, ha       | 17                | 12-36    | Br            |       | P yes    | BWP bc   |       |            | S3             |
| Baileya, ha                 | 14                | 18       | B             |       | B no     | Y bc     |       |            | ☼D41           |
| Balsam, Lady Slipper, ha    | 14                | 15-30    | B             |       | BW no    | PW g     |       |            | ☼61            |
| Baptisia, hp                | 26                | 40       | B             |       | Hb yes   | B b      |       |            | ☼4             |
| Barbota, ha                 | 14                | 24       | B             |       | B no     | Y bd     |       |            | ☼6D1           |
| Begonia, hhp                | 3, 48, 32, 35     | 12       | B             |       | WB no    | PWR gh   |       |            | S5a            |
| Bell of Ireland, hp         | 14                | 30       | Br            |       | BD yes   | Gr cdi   |       |            | ☼D61           |
| Bell flr., hb, hp, ha       | 16, 26            | 12-30    | E             |       | Hb yes   | BWP bc   |       |            | S☼61           |
| Bel'lis, English Daisy, hp  | 19                | 6        | Br            |       | BWE no   | WPR abi  |       |            | S☼41           |
| Bean, Scarlet Runner, hha   | 25                | 15'      | V             |       | S no     | R c      |       |            | ☼91            |
| Bigonia, hp                 | 25                | 30'      | B             |       | S no     | YR c     |       |            | ☼9             |
| Bird of Paradise, hhp       | 3, 35             | 48       | EC            |       | SpW yes  |          |       |            | ☼5             |
| Bleeding Heart, hp          | 27, 47            | 24       | B             |       | Hb no    | P ab     |       |            | S8             |
| Bocconia, hp                | 26                | 70       | B             |       | Hb no    | dd       |       |            | ☼61            |
| Boltonia, hp                | 26                | 60       | B             |       | Hb no    | P d      |       |            | ☼61            |
| Brachycome, hha             | 12                | 12       | B             |       | E no     | BWR b    |       |            | ☼3             |
| Bri'za, Quaking Grass, ha   | 31                | 24       | E             |       | D yes    |          |       |            | ☼31            |
| Brodiaea, hp                | 26                | 20       | E             |       | B yes    | Y ce     |       |            | ☼4             |
| Brodiaea, hha               | 16                | 25       | B             |       | B no     | BR g     |       |            | ☼6             |
| Butterfly Bush, hp          | 32                | 48       | B             |       | Hb yes   | Pu c     |       |            | ☼6             |
| Cactus, hhp                 | 31, 35            | 3-9      |               |       | W no     |          |       |            | S☼5            |
| Ca'la'dum, Fancy Leaf, hhp  | 44                |          |               |       |          |          |       |            |                |

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| Ferns, hp, hhp             | e 33              | 12-24    | B             |       | WHb no           |          | leaves   |            | S5             |
| Flax, Linum, ha, hp        | df 19, 29         | 6-24     | C             |       | RHb no           |          | RBP bed  |            | S61            |
| Forget-me-not, hb          | b 20, 14, 18      | 9-12     | B             |       | R yes            |          | BPW ai   |            | S61            |
| Four O'clock, hhp          | a 2, 20           | 24       | B             |       | B no             |          | many de  |            | S95            |
| Freesia, hhp               | f 34              | 15       | E             |       | W yes            |          | many Fhi |            | S51            |
| Fuchsia, hhp               | z 33, 35          | 24       | Br            |       | W no             |          | many gh  |            | S55            |
| Funkia, Hosta, hp          | td 27             | 18       | C             |       | E no             |          | BF c     |            | S57            |
| Gail lar'di a, ha, hp      | e 19              | 12-18    | B             |       | Hb yes           |          | YRW edi  |            | S361           |
| Garden Mixtures            | 13, 25            |          |               |       |                  |          |          |            |                |
| Gazania, hhp               | 19                | 30       | B             |       | BW no            |          | YOR gh   |            | S351D          |
| Gentian, Gentiana, hp      | e 27              | 4-25     | E             |       | RHb no           |          | BY edi   |            | S38            |
| Gerbera, hhp               | d 19              | 15       | C             |       | WB yes           |          | many chi |            | S35            |
| Geranium, hhp              | c 3, 34, 35       | 12-24    | Br            |       | WB no            |          | many hg  |            | S51            |
| Geum, Avens, hp            | f 28              | 24       | E             |       | Hb yes           |          | RY bc    |            | S61            |
| Gilia, hb, ha              | c 19, 27          | 3-36     | E             |       | Hb no            |          | many ed  |            | S41            |
| Gladiolus, Cornflag, hhp   | e 41              | 14-60    | E             |       |                  |          | many c   |            | S3             |
| Gloxinia, hhp              | d 3, 48, 33       | 12       | B             |       | W no             |          | many ed  |            | S5a            |
| Gode tia, Satinflower, ha  | d 19              | 10-15    | B             |       | BE yes           |          | many ed  |            | S3             |
| Golden Chain, hp           | z 29              | 20       | Br            |       | Sp no            |          | Y b      |            | S7             |
| Gom phre na, ha            | d 24              | 24       | BD            |       | Hb yes           |          | many ed  |            | S31            |
| Gourds, hha                | d 24              |          | V             |       | SF no            |          |          |            | S91            |
| Grass, Ornamental          | 31                |          |               |       |                  |          |          |            |                |
| Gypsophila, ha, hp         | c 24, 28          | 18-42    | B             |       | Hb yes           |          | many b-d |            | S36            |
| Hedychium, Gingerlily      | 47                |          |               |       |                  |          | F        |            |                |
| Helianthus, Sneezeweed, hp | a 28              | 36       | Br            |       | Hb no            |          | YR d     |            | S61            |
| Helianthus, hp             | d 28              | 12       | C             |       | HbE no           |          | many bc  |            | S61            |
| Helianthus, Sunflr., hha   | a 19              | 48-72    | EBR           |       | S yes            |          | Y d      |            | S91            |
| Helichrysum, ha            | 24                | 30       | Br            |       | DHb yes          |          | many c   |            | S31            |
| Heliothis, hp              | c 19              | 36       | B             |       | Hb yes           |          | Y edi    |            | S61            |
| Heliotrope, hhp            | f 34, 31          | 15-24    | B             |       | Wb no            |          | PuF gh   |            | S51            |
| Heliborus, hp              | e 28              | 15       | B             |       | Hb no            |          | W a      |            | S7             |
| Hermericalis, hp           | d 28, 47          | 24-40    | C             |       | Hb yes           |          | RYP bc   |            | S41            |
| HERBS                      | 35                |          |               |       |                  |          |          |            |                |
| Hesperis, hp               | f 19              | 36       | B             |       | Hb yes           |          | RWF ci   |            | S3             |
| Heteropappus, hha          | c 19              | 24       | B             |       | B yes            |          | B c      |            | S59            |
| Heuchera, Coralbells, hp   | c 28              | 12-24    | C             |       | RHb yes          |          | many bc  |            | S41            |
| Hibiscus, Rosemallow, hp   | fd 19             | 36       | Br            |       | Sp no            |          | RWP ci   |            | S61            |
| Hippasistrum, hhp          | g 28              | 24       | E             |       | W yes            |          | RW h     |            | S35            |
| Hollyhock, Althea, hp      | c 28              | 60       | E             |       | SHb no           |          | many bd  |            | S61            |
| Homeria, hp                | c 28              | 20       | E             |       | HbW no           |          | C        |            | S35            |
| Hunemannia, hhp            | d 19              | 24       | E             |       | B yes            |          | Y ci     |            | S31            |
| Hyanthus, Candicans, hp    | 28                | 48       | Br            |       | Hb no            |          | W ed     |            | S596           |
| Iberis, Candytuft, hp      | a 29              | 10       | S             |       | ER no            |          | WP b     |            | S61            |
| Ice Plant, ha              | td 20             | 8        | S             |       | BWF no           |          | many g   |            | S5             |
| Impatiens, hhp             | d 34, 35          | 12-24    | B             |       | WB no            |          | PRW gh   |            | S61            |
| Incarvillea, hp, ha        | tf 29             | 12-20    | C             |       | Hb no            |          | P bc     |            | S4             |
| Insecticides               |                   |          |               |       |                  |          |          |            |                |
| Ipomoea, hha               | a 20              | 30       | V             |       | S no             |          | many ed  |            | S9             |
| Iris, Flag, hp             | te 28, 47         | 12-50    | EC            |       | Hb yes           |          | many a-b |            | S5M48          |
| Isatis, Woad, hp           | b 28              | 36       | EB            |       | Hb no            |          | Y bc     |            | S61            |
| Jack in the Pulpit, hhp    | g 26              | 25       | E             |       | RSp no           |          | green b  |            | S4             |
| Job's Tears, Coix, hha     | e 31              | 36       | E             |       | F no             |          | W        |            | S9             |
| Kalanchoe, hhp             | c 34              | 12       | E             |       | WbF yes          |          | R h      |            | S55a           |
| Kudzu Vine, Pueraria, hp   | d 25              | 40       | V             |       | S no             |          | Pu c     |            | S3             |
| Laburnum, hp               | z 29              | 20       | Br            |       | Sp no            |          | Y b      |            | S7             |
| Lantana, hhp               | z 34              | 12-36    | CB            |       | WB yes           |          | Y gh     |            | S51            |
| Larkspur, Delphinium, hha  | e 7               | 30-60    | E             |       | SB yes           |          | many ed  |            | S41            |
| Lathyrus, hp               | 25                | 72       | V             |       | S yes            |          | RWPF bc  |            | S31            |
| Lavender, hp               | d 35              | 15       | C             |       | FR no            |          | PuF bc   |            | S61            |
| Lazy Daisy, ha             | 20                | 20       | BC            |       | R yes            |          | W cde    |            | S31            |
| Lepidosiphon, Stardust, ha | e 20              | 6        | C             |       | BR no            |          | many g   |            | S61            |
| Leposyne, hhp              | c 20              | 30       | E             |       | BW yes           |          | Y gi     |            | S591           |
| Leucanthemum               | 29                |          |               |       | See Shasta Daisy |          |          |            |                |
| Liatris, Gayfeather, hp    | e 29              | 36       | E             |       | Hb yes           |          | RWPu ed  |            | S4             |
| Lilium, Lily, hp           | g 3, 29, 47       | 24-48    | EC            |       | Hb yes           |          | Fmany bc |            | S48            |
| Linaria, Toadflax, hha     | c 19              | 8-12     | B             |       | BRE yes          |          | many ed  |            | S31            |
| Linum, Flax, ha            | d 19              | 12-18    | B             |       | BR no            |          | RBP bc   |            | S61            |
| Linum, perennial, hp       | d 19              | 6-24     | E             |       | HbR no           |          | RB gi    |            | S6             |
| Lippia, hhp                | z 34              | 24       | E             |       | WB no            |          | W h      |            | S25            |
| Loelia, ha, hp             | e 19, 29          | 4-24     | BTE           |       | WEHb no          |          | many gci |            | S51            |
| Love in a Mist, ha         | b 21              | 15-18    | E             |       | B yes            |          | BW c     |            | S31            |
| Lunaria, hb                | c 24              | 48       | E             |       | DB yes           |          | WPU ci   |            | S361           |
| Lupinus, hp, ha            | b 20, 29          | 24-48    | EC            |       | Hb yes           |          | many c   |            | S421           |
| Lycoris, Magicalily        | 44                |          |               |       |                  |          |          |            |                |
| Lychnis, Campion, hp       | f 20              | 7-24     | E             |       | HbR yes          |          | RWP edi  |            | S4D6           |
| Lythrum, hp                | d 29              | 36       | E             |       | Hb no            |          | R        |            | S5M4           |
| Malcomia, Maritima, hha    | a 24              | 12       | B             |       | E yes            |          | WP bc    |            | S31            |
| Mallow, Malva, hp          | a 20              | 24       | B             |       | Hb no            |          | P bc     |            | S6             |
| Margold, Tagetes, hha      | a 4, 12           | 6-48     | B             |       | BW yes           |          | FYOR c   |            | S61            |
| Martynia, hha              | 20                | 18       | S             |       | RBF no           |          | WYPU c   |            | S5             |
| Matricaria, ha             | c 20              | 8-24     | B             |       | BER yes          |          | WY g     |            | S31            |
| Matthiola, ha              | a 20, 13          | 18       | B             |       | B no             |          | PuF bc   |            | S31            |
| Meconopsis, hp             | e 29              | 60       | E             |       | Hb no            |          | B d      |            | S4M            |
| Merensia, hp               | 29                | 24       | E             |       | RHb no           |          | B b      |            | S54            |
| Mesembryanthemum           | 20                |          |               |       | See Ice Plant    |          |          |            |                |
| Migotette, Reseda, hha     | a 20              | 12-15    | B             |       | BW yes           |          | RWF gh   |            | S31            |
| Mimosa, hha                | b 21              | 24       | Br            |       | FWB no           |          | P d      |            | S59            |
| Mimulus, ha, hhp           | c 20              | 6-12     | B             |       | WBR no           |          | many ghi |            | S5             |
| Mina, Flag of Spain, hha   | e 25              | 15       | V             |       | S no             |          | RW d     |            | S9             |
| Mirabilis, hhp             | a 20, 2           | 24       | B             |       | B no             |          | many dei |            | S35            |
| Momordica, hha             | d 24              | 6        | V             |       | SF no            |          | Y s      |            | S9             |
| Monarch of the Veldt, hha  | c 24              | 24       | E             |       | B yes            |          | many g   |            | S3             |
| Monarda, Horsemint, hp     | d 29              | 36       | CE            |       | Hb yes           |          | Pu c     |            | S561           |
| Montbretia, hhp            | 44                | 36       | E             |       | B yes            |          | ORY cd   |            | S5             |
| Morning Glory, hha         | a 20              | 30       | V             |       | SW no            |          | many cd  |            | S51            |
| Muscari, ph                | 6                 | CE       |               |       | EB no            |          | BW a     |            | S54            |
| Myosotis, Forgetmenot, hb  | b 20              | 9-12     | Br            |       | RHb yes          |          | BPWF ai  |            | S61            |
| Nasturtium, hha            | b 21              | 12       | B             |       | BE yes           |          | YORF b e |            | S61            |
| Nemesia, hha               | a 20              | 8-12     | B             |       | EBR no           |          | many bc  |            | S31            |
| Nemophila, ha              | c 21              | 6        | Br            |       | E no             |          | WBPu a   |            | S31            |
| Nepeta, Catmint, hp        | c 29              | 12       | S             |       | ER no            |          | B bd     |            | S561           |
| Nicotiana, hha             | e 2, 21           | 15-42    | EBR           |       | B yes            |          | Fmany g  |            | S61            |
| Nierembergia, hhp          | d 2, 21           | 6        | B             |       | EB no            |          | Pu gi    |            | S561           |
| Nigella, ha                | b 21              | 15-18    | B             |       | B yes            |          | BW c     |            | S31            |
| Nolina, ha                 | c 21              | 5        | S             |       | RW no            |          | B g      |            | S61            |

| Name                              | Germination Table | Page No. | Height Inches | Habit | Best Use           | Cut Flw. | Color      | Bloom Time | Culture Symbol |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|----------|---------------|-------|--------------------|----------|------------|------------|----------------|
| Oenothera, ha                     | a 22              | 12-36    | B             |       | RB no              |          | YF c       |            | S61            |
| Orchis, Orchid, hp                | z 29, 47          | 12       | E             |       | W yes              |          | many       |            | SW5            |
| Othahe, hha                       | 22                | 24       | Br            |       | B no               |          | P c        |            | S5             |
| Oxalis, hhp                       | c 35, 43          | 6        | BS            |       | WE no              |          | PPuW ghi   |            | S51            |
| Paeony, hp                        | z 30              | 36       | C             |       | Hb yes             |          | PWRF b     |            | S8             |
| Painted Daisy, hp                 | e 3, 17, 30       | 24-36    | CE            |       | Hb yes             |          | many b     |            | S61            |
| Pampas Grass, hhp                 | 31                | 12       | CE            |       | B yes              |          | WP d       |            | S5             |
| Pansy, Heartease, hhp             | c 2, 5            | 4-8      | B             |       | EB yes             |          | Fmany aghi |            | S561           |
| Papaver, Poppy, ha, hp            | c 21, 30          | 24-60    | E             |       | Hb yes             |          | many c     |            | S361           |
| Paradise, hp                      | d 47              | 24       | C             |       | Hb yes             |          | di         |            | S31            |
| Pasiflora, hha                    | g 35              | 15       | VS            |       | S no               |          | BWP gh     |            | S559           |
| Pelargonium, hhp                  | c 3, 34, 35       | 12-24    | EBR           |       | WB no              |          | Fmany ghi  |            | S51            |
| Penstemon, hp                     | c 22, 30          | 12-36    | EC            |       | Hb yes             |          | many ci    |            | S3             |
| Periwinkle, Vinca, ha             | d 24              | 12       | B             |       | WB no              |          | PRW g      |            | S561           |
| Petunia, ha, hhp                  | c 2, 4, 8, 9      | 6-24     | B             |       | BW yes             |          | manyF gi   |            | S591a          |
| Phacelia, ha                      | c 22              | 8        | B             |       | E no               |          | B b        |            | S31            |
| Phlox, ha, c, hp, tf              | c 22              | 6-24     | EB            |       | B yes              |          | Fmany cd   |            | S31            |
| Physalis, hp                      | d 30              | 24       | E             |       | Hb no              |          | R d        |            | S5             |
| Phytolacca, Pokeberry, hp         | e 29              | 96       | Br            |       | SpF no             |          |            |            | S6             |
| Pinks, hb, hp                     | b 18, 30          | 9-25     | C             |       | EBH yes            |          | manyF bci  |            | S61            |
| Platycodon, hp                    | c 24              | 12-18    | E             |       | Hb yes             |          | WB bci     |            | S61            |
| Plumbago, hhp                     | 35                | 36       | VB            |       | W no               |          | B h        |            | S5             |
| Poinciana, hhp                    | d 35              | 60       | Br            |       | W no               |          | YR c       |            | S25            |
| Polonium, hp                      | c 30              | 36       | E             |       | Hb no              |          | BW bc      |            | S541           |
| Portulaca, ha                     | c 22              | 6        | CB            |       | RBC no             |          | many cde   |            | S61            |
| Potentilla, hp                    | c 30              | 24       | E             |       | Hb no              |          | RWY c      |            | S4             |
| Primula, Primrose, hhp            | e 34              | 8-15     | B             |       | W no               |          | many hi    |            | S55a           |
| Primula, Primrose, hp             | tf 30             | 6-24     | C             |       | HbE no             |          | many ab    |            | S54            |
| Pueraria, Kudzu Vine, hp          | d 40              | 40       | V             |       | S no               |          | Pu c       |            | S3             |
| Pyrethrum, hp                     | e 3, 30           | 24-36    | CE            |       | Hb yes             |          | many b     |            | S61            |
| Queen Anne's Lace                 | 22                |          |               |       | See Daucus carota  |          |            |            |                |
| Ranunculus, hhp                   | d 43              | 10       | E             |       | HbRW yes           |          | YOR bhi    |            | S451           |
| Reseda, Mignonette                | 20                |          |               |       | See Mignonette     |          |            |            |                |
| Ricinus, Castorbean               | 22                |          |               |       | See Castor Bean    |          |            |            |                |
| Rose, Rosa, hp                    | z 3, 31           | 12-70    | Br            |       | SpW yes            |          | many gi    |            | S7             |
| Rudbeckia, ha, hp                 | e 23              | 36-48    | B             |       | HbB yes            |          | YOR bci    |            | S61            |
| Saintpaulia, hhp                  | 3, 35             |          |               |       | See African Violet |          |            |            |                |
| Salpiglossis, hha                 | d 22              | 18-30    | E             |       | B yes              |          | many cd    |            | S31            |
| Salvia, hha, hp                   | td 2, 23          | 10-36    | Br            |       | BEHb yes           |          | RBWF g     |            | S51            |
| Sanvitalia, ha                    | c 23              | 6        | S             |       | RE no              |          | Y cd       |            | S91            |
| Saponaria, hp                     | c 31              | 12       | S             |       | R no               |          | P b        |            | S61            |
| Saxifraga, hp                     | d 31              | 4-6      | S             |       | RE no              |          | many b     |            | S4             |
| Scabiosa, ha, hp                  | c 2, 23, 31       | 18-36    | B             |       | B yes              |          | manyF cde  |            | S61            |
| Schizanthus, hha                  | e 35              | 12-30    | B             |       | WB yes             |          | many hb    |            | S5             |
| Senecio, Groundsel, hp            | a 31              | 10-20    | E             |       | Hb no              |          | Y c        |            | S4             |
| Sensitiva Plant, Mimosa           | 21                |          |               |       | See Mimosa         |          |            |            |                |
| Shamrock, hp                      | c 31              | 6        | B             |       | WB no              |          | W bi       |            | S35            |
| Shasta Daisy, hp                  | c 29              | 24       | C             |       | Hb yes             |          | W bc       |            | S461           |
| Sidalcea, hp                      | d 31              | 18-96    | E             |       | Hb no              |          | PB c       |            | S6             |
| Silene, hp                        | a 31              | 6        | T             |       | E no               |          | P de       |            | S61            |
| Sky Flower, hhp                   | d 33              | 18       | B             |       | WB no              |          | B g        |            | S4D31          |
| Snapdragon, h                     | 2, 14, 19         |          |               |       | See Antirrhinum    |          |            |            |                |
| Snow on the Mountain              | 18                |          |               |       | See Euphorbia      |          |            |            |                |
| Solanum, hhp                      | te 35             | 12-24    | EBR           |       | WF no              |          |            |            | S5             |
| Spider Flower                     | 17, 44            |          |               |       | See Cleome         |          |            |            |                |
| Star of Texas, ha                 | 22                | 20       | B             |       | B yes              |          | Y g        |            | S5             |
| Statice, hha, hp                  | c 24              | 18-36    | Br            |       | BD yes             |          | many b-c   |            | S41            |
| Stevia, hhp                       | a 35              | 16       | B             |       | WB yes             |          | W g        |            | S5             |
| Stocks, Gilliflower, hha          | a 20, 23          | 12-36    | B             |       | BW yes             |          | manyF ch   |            | S561           |
| Stoke'sia, hp                     | e 31              | 16       | E             |       | Hb yes             |          | BW ci      |            | S61            |
| Star of the Desert, ha            | 13                | 30       | E             |       | B yes              |          | Pu b-d     |            | S4D6           |
| Strawberry, hp                    | c 31              | 6        | B             |       | BF no              |          | gi         |            | S4             |
| Streptocarpus, hhp                | z 3, 35           | 48       | EC            |       | W yes              |          | h          |            | S52            |
| Sultana, hhp                      | d 35              | 12       | B             |       | W no               |          | many hi    |            | S5a            |
| Sunflower, Helianthus             | 19                |          |               |       | See Impatiens      |          |            |            |                |
| Sweet Pea, Lathyrus, hp           | d 11              | 4-8      | V             |       | S yes              |          | Fmany abi  |            | S41            |
| Sweet William, hp                 | a 3, 24, 31       | 8-18     | E             |       | Hb yes             |          | manyF bi   |            | S61            |
| Ta-ho'ka Daisy, ha                | 20                | 20       | E             |       | B yes              |          | B bed      |            | S31            |
| Thalictrum, hp                    | d 31              | 36-48    | EB            |       | Hb no              |          | PuP c      |            | S5             |
| Thea, tea, hhp                    | z 35              | 60       | Br            |       | WSp no             |          | W h        |            | S5             |
| Thermopsis, hp                    | d 31              | 60       | EB            |       | Hb yes             |          | Y bc       |            | S41            |
| Thrift, Armeria                   | 26                |          |               |       | See Armeria        |          |            |            | S591           |
| Thunbergia, hp, hha               | c 25              | 60       | V             |       | S no               |          | many       |            | S3             |
| Tigridia, hhp                     | 43                | 15       | E             |       | B no               |          | many c     |            | S91            |
| Ti-thonia, Mex. Sunflr. hha       | c 23              | 8        | E             |       | SB yes             |          | ★ cde      |            | S91            |
| To-bac'co Flowering               |                   |          |               |       | See Nicotiana      |          |            |            |                |
| Torenia, hha                      | d 23              | 12       | E             |       | WBR no             |          | BW de      |            | S3             |
| Tradyme'ne, ha                    | d 18              | 24       | E             |       | B no               |          | B c        |            | S9             |
| Touch me not, Balsam              | 14                |          |               |       | See Balsam         |          |            |            |                |
| Transvaal Daisy, Gerbera          | 19                |          |               |       | See Gerbera        |          |            |            |                |
| Tritoma, hp                       | e 31, 43          | 36-65    | EC            |       | Hb yes             |          | ★RY cd     |            | S41            |
| Trollius, Globeflower, hp         | z 31              | 20       | E             |       | Hb no              |          | Y bc       |            | S4M4           |
| Tunica, Tunic Flr., hp            | a 24              | 9        | B             |       | RE no              |          | P gi       |            | S61            |
| Ur-sini a, ha                     | a 24              | 12       | B             |       | HbR yes            |          | Y★ c       |            | S95            |
| Valeria'na, hp                    | c 31              | 48       | E             |       | Hb no              |          | RWF ci     |            | S61            |
| VEGETABLES                        | 4, 36, 40         |          |               |       |                    |          |            |            |                |
| Venidium, ha                      | c 24              | 12       | E             |       | B no               |          | many d     |            | S59            |
| Verbe'na, Vervain, hhp            | b 2, 24           | 6-18     | B             |       | B yes              |          | manyF cdei |            | S59            |
| Vernonia, Speedwell, hp           | d 31              | 10-15    | C             |       | HbR no             |          | B cd       |            | S6             |
| Vinca, Periwinkle, hhp            | d 24              | 12       | B             |       | BW no              |          | WP gi      |            | S591           |
| VINES                             | 20, 25            |          |               |       |                    |          |            |            |                |
| Viola, ha, hp                     | c 2, 6            | 4-8      | C             |       | BEW no             |          | manyF gi   |            | S41            |
| Virginia Stock                    | 24                |          |               |       | See Malcomia       |          |            |            |                |
| Viscaria, Raindrops, ha           | a 24              | -12      | E             |       | B no               |          | PBW c      |            | S61            |
| Wahlenbergia, hp                  | c 24              | 12-18    | E             |       | Hb yes             |          | WB bci     |            | S61            |
| Wall-flower, hb, hp               | a 17, 24, 31      | 9-24     | EB            |       | BW yes             |          | FY★Pu gc   |            | S61            |
| WINDOW GARDENS                    | 3, 32, 35         |          |               |       |                    |          |            |            |                |
| Wis-taria, Glycine, hp            | 25                | 30       | V             |       | S no               |          | Pu b       |            | S4             |
| Zephyranthes, hhp                 | 47                | 12       | E             |       | WBR no             |          | WYP g      |            | S35            |
| Zinnia, hha                       | a 2, 3, 10, 11    | 6-48     | EB            |       | BE yes             |          | many g     |            | S91            |
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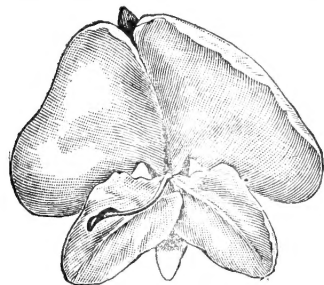
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**B493—DAURICUM** (Candlestick Lily). 1½ ft. Bright scarlet blooms that "burn brightly" atop the upright, strong stems in June. Easily grown, very hardy, and long lived. Increased easily by division. Dauricum is well suited to the front of your perennial border. 5" deep. Choice 4-5 inch bulbs 75c each, 3 for \$1.95.

**B487—LONGIFLORUM** (Easter Lily). "The well known white Lily of the florists", can be used in the garden to produce its pure white richly fragrant blooms in profusion. Blooms in July and August. Needs a little extra winter protection, set 8" deep. 45c each; 3 for \$1.10; 12 for \$3.75.

**492—TENUIFOLIUM** (Coral Lily). 2 ft. A popular rock-garden species with nodding, brilliant scarlet flowers borne in June. Petals are recurved, color is brilliant and solid. Very hardy, for open border or rockery. Set bulbs 5 inches deep.. 25c each; 3 for 70c; 12 for \$2.50.

**091—LILY COLLECTION:** One bulb each of Dauricum, Henryli, Longiflorum, Regale (Large), Rubrum, Tenuifolium. 6 Strong Lily bulbs for \$2.95.

Lily Culture: Pg. 20 "Gardener's Handbook."

**WAKE ROBIN** (*Trillium Ovatum*). Few native plants are more suitable for the wild garden. They love moisture and partial shade. Lovely tripetalate flowers of white turning to rose. Plants 35c each; 3 for 75c.

**HARDY ORCHID.** Lady's Slipper. (*Cypripedium Montanum*). This lovely hardy novel Orchid is a hardy species from Montana. 2 ft. high. Large flowers 4-6 in. long brownish green petals with 1 in. lip of white. Flower resembles a dainty Lady's slipper—hence the name. \$1.00 each.

## THE BLACKBERRY LILY

**B490—(Pardanthus Sinensis)**

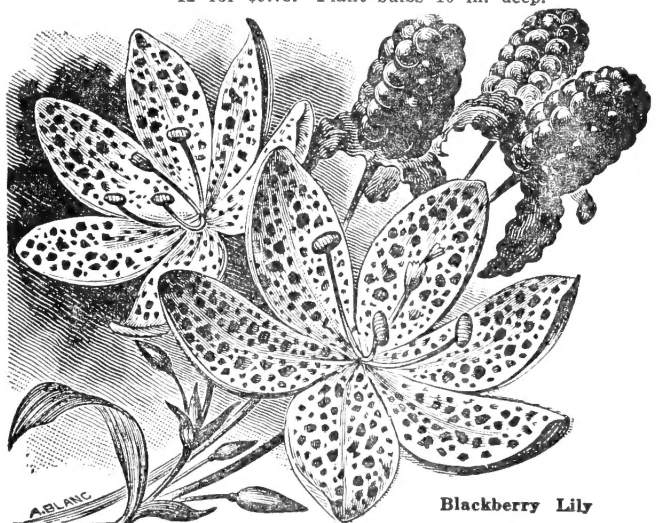
A plant to please. Iris-like leaves with tall stems bearing two-inch showy flowers of orange and crimson; followed by ornamental black seed clusters, from which it gets the name.

A strong growing perennial which thrives in a rich sandy soil in an open border or in semi-woodland shade.

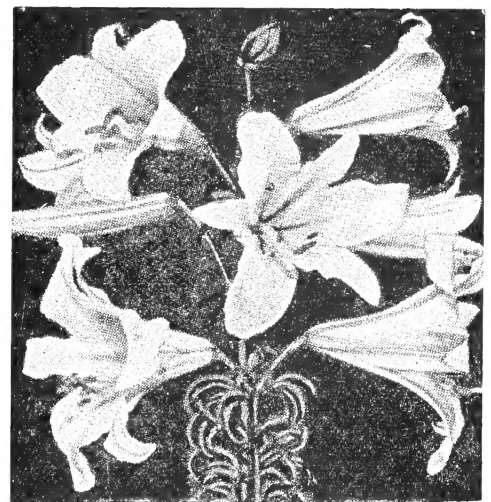
A group among the shrubbery will lend an attractive note of color in August and September.

**Roots:**  
 25c each;  
 3 for 65c;  
 12 for \$2.40.

**Seeds—1544**  
 Pkt. 10c;  
 Giant Pkt. 25c.



Blackberry Lily

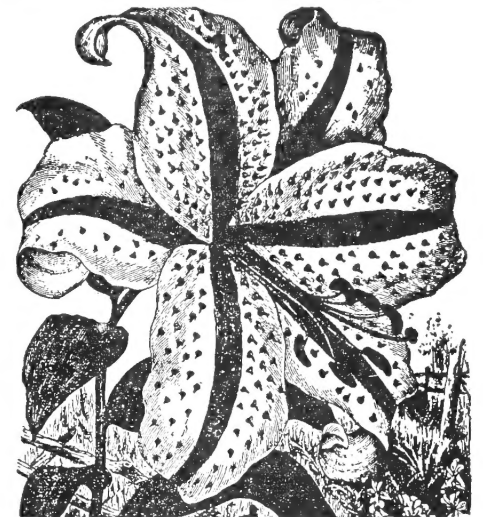


Lilium Regale, Regal Lily—3 for 50c

## GLORIOUS REGAL LILIES

**TOP SIZE BULBS** (8-9 inches in circumference). Hardy, easily grown, handsome and popular; the fine trumpet-shaped, deliciously scented flowers bloom profusely. Color: ivory white, shadowed pink with yellow tinge at base of each petal. Set bulbs 10-12 inches deep. 45c each; 3 for \$1.25; for \$4.35.

**Medium Bulbs** (4-5 inches in circumference). Smaller lily bulbs establish themselves easily and enable one to afford a larger number. We have secured a choice lot and offer them: 3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.85; 100 for \$12.95.  
**SEEDS of Lilium Regale.** Pkt. 10c; 25c.



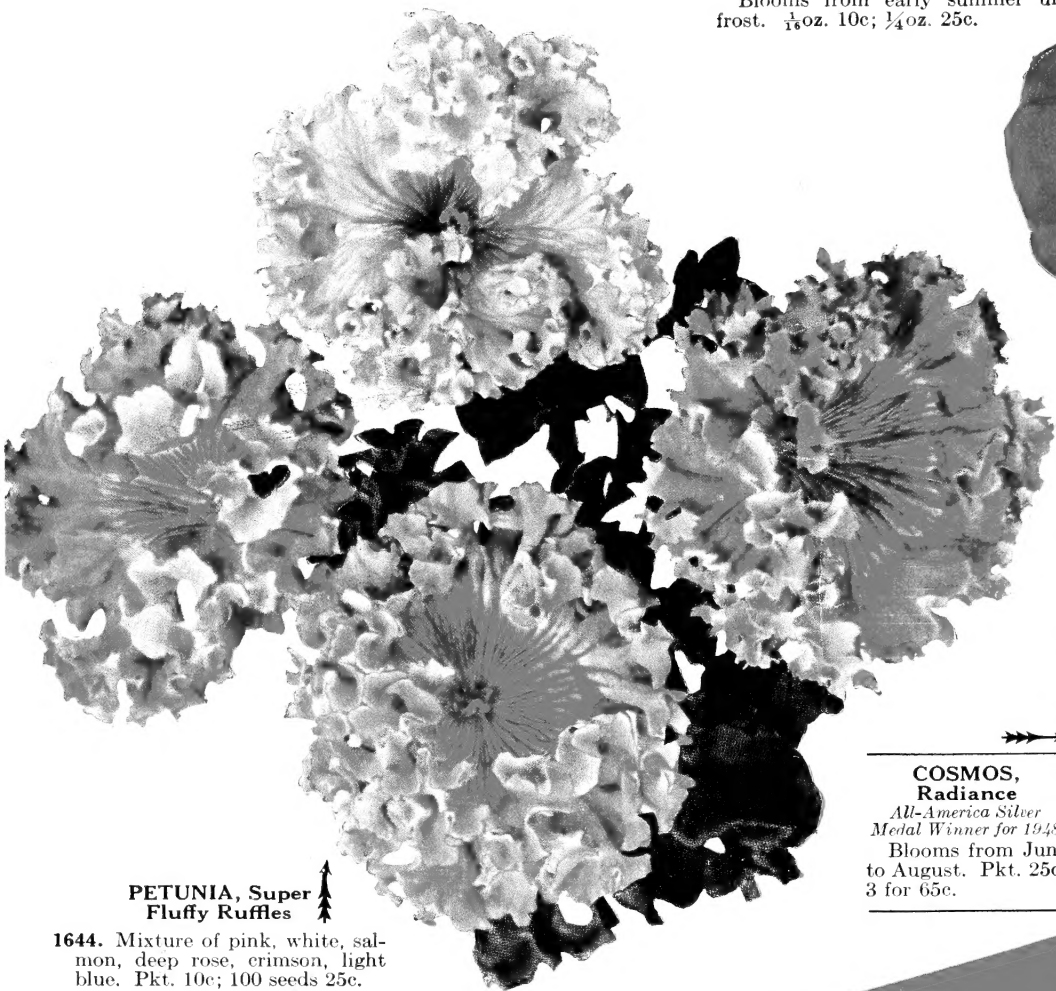
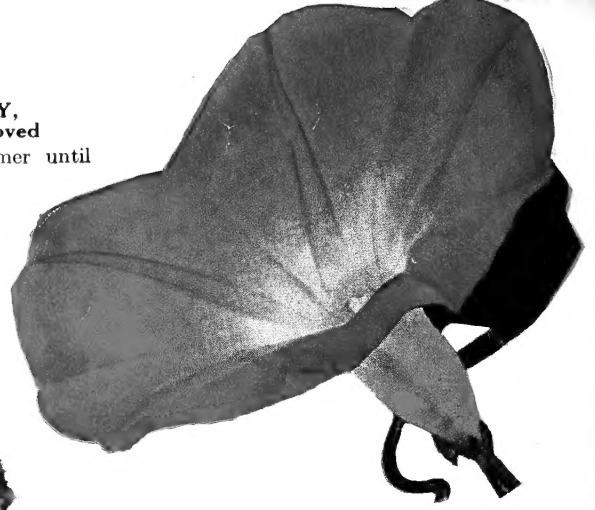
L. RUBRUM—95c each

**B486—HENRYI** (Orange Speciosum). 5-8 ft. Bright apricot-yellow flowers are borne aloft and displayed to advantage in the sunlight above low shrubs. The flowers have sharply recurving petals and resemble Speciosum in form. Sometimes as many as twenty flowers are borne on one stem, tho 5-10 are more common. Plant bulbs 8-10 inches deep. 55c each; 3 for \$1.45.

**B488—SPECIOSUM RUBRUM.** One of the most beautiful of all Lilies. Flowers rose-red, petals recurve gracefully to the tips where they shade to lighter rose, strikingly dotted with darker crimson. Blooms Aug.-Sept. 95c ea.; 3 for \$2.55; 12 for \$9.75. Plant bulbs 10 in. deep.



**MORNING-GLORY,  
Heavenly Blue Improved**  
Blooms from early summer until  
frost.  $\frac{1}{16}$ oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 25c.



**PETUNIA, Super  
Fluffy Ruffles**

**1644.** Mixture of pink, white, salmon, deep rose, crimson, light blue. Pkt. 10c; 100 seeds 25c.

**COSMOS,  
Radiance**  
*All-America Silver  
Medal Winner for 1948*  
Blooms from June  
to August. Pkt. 25c;  
3 for 65c.



**GEO. W. PARK SEED CO.**  
**GREENWOOD • SOUTH CAROLINA**



**DOUBLE PORTULACA, Mixed**

Blooms all summer. White; Yellow; Scarlet; Rose. Each, Pkt. 10c;  
Giant Pkt. 25c. Mixture, Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c;  $\frac{1}{16}$ oz. 50c;  $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 90c.

**ZINNIA,  
Mammoth  
Dahlia-  
flowered**



**024.** Blooms from July to frost. Red; Yellow; Rose; Scarlet; Purple; White. One pkt. of each color for 50c.

**2188. Complete Mixture.** Pkt. 10c; Giant Pkt. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 40c; oz. \$1.25.